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A. H. Cope, John E King. Committee." m Gravevard.

ie late Mrs. William argely attended took the family residence t It was a brief serhe principal services P church southwest ir. Hawkins being as-Recener. The music Mound chapel choir, of Prof Mountz. The m cemetery, and the oseph Deakins, H. T. ldleson, Frank Willand N. F. Hopkins.

at Mt. Zion. the two year old son of Zion met with a very accident yesterday afle one was out in a the family heard him to him and found he the swing and onto a weed. The weed paneeft side about (**h**) secof two inches. Its convery serious.

nds of Mrs. Ada Ham dis. Miss., and Mrs. H. of Waynesville, Ill., are Fairlawn in their honor t is at its beight and adies feel that it is good hope that the pleasant be repeated in the near same circle of friends

from Kausas

circuit cierk, arrived ng from Kansas, where visit to relatives and al weeks. He says the ight as to crops this year all not suffer until the ad luck at least. The is doing well and prices arters of the state. e the Record,

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le Reading. Miss Sweet will give a the First Baptist church. e are especially invited to

Births.

and Mrs. M. E. Wagner, b Edward street, on Sepighter.

schools in Blue Ridge

vicinity will picnic in day.

he food pure, wholesome and delicious.



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### MINERS' STRIKE ENDS

Eighteen Thousand Men Resume Work this Morning in the Pittsburg District.

STRIKE LASTED SIXTY-FIVE DAYS.

Miners Lost \$2,500,000 While Other Losses Swell that Amount.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 16.-After nearly three months of idleness, between 15.000 and 18,000 coal miners in the Pittsburg are supplied in many cases with Remingdistrict, returned to work today in accordance with the action of yesterday's convention, authorizing the men to resume work in all mines complying with the provisions of the 65 cent scale adopted at Columbus. The remainder of the 23, 000 miners in the district will be working before the close of the week. It is estimated the strike, which lasted 65 work- for implication in hospital atrocities. ing days cost the people of Pittsburg district between five and seven millions of the last of the troops have been forwarded. dollars. Of this amount the miners lost two and a quarter million in wages.

Stilke to Continue at De Armits' Mine.

Ds Armit's will continue indefinitely, kept up a continued fire for a long while, arrangements having been made to assess the working miners five per cent of their wages to defray the expenses to keep up

POLITICS AND WHEAT.

Present Rise Due Mainly to the Republican Industrial Policy.

Washington, Sept. 16.-Maj. J. W. Wham, of the regular army, furnishes the following statistical statement, to demonstrate that the present rise of wheat is due mainly to the industrial policy of the Republican party:

"In 1883, the year prior to Cleveland's first election, the average price of wheat cases reported are genuine yellow fever. was 91c per bushel. In 1884, the year The Picayune says Dr. Archinard, the after his election, the average price was bacteriological expert, has discovered the 64c per bushel, a drop of 27c, from which price it only rallied slightly during his entire administration, selling the last year at an average of 68c per bushel.

wheat immediately bounded back to a a total of 19 cases to date. point 2c higher than when Cleveland was first elected, the average price for 1888 being 93c per bushel, from which point it only slightly reacted, the average price ently of yellow fever. during the last years being 84c per bushel. Cleveland was re-slected in 1893, and there was an unmediate drop of 21c per bushel, continuing down until 490 per bushel eached, the lowest during the cen tury. Millions of men were out of employment. Consumption necessarily fell off. Economy, even in the United States, of bread and its kindred luxurles, was

three years of Harrison's administration, All patients doing well.' when all the wheels of commerce and enterprise were bot with action, and the first three years of Cleveland's administration, when the conditions were absolutely reversed, and you have a falling off of one and one quarter bushels per capita during the Cleveland administration. Our population now amount to nearly 80,000,-000, which would make a difference in consumpton of about 100,000,000 in favor of the Harrison administration.

"The per capita consumption of wheat during the last year of Arthur's adminis- use of silver, as a contribution to an intertration, and the last year of Harrison's national agreement which, while not administration, respectively, was nearly affecting our gold standard, might enable six and one-half bushels, call it six and a the mints of France and America to requarter bushels; multiplying our 80,000,-600 of population by this, we have 500, was one asking the bank to hold the 000,000 bushels of wheat necessary for amount of silver permissible under the act our home consumption. Our annual aver- of 1844 against 1t notes." age production of wheat during the last leaves us short annually about 30,000,000 the exchequer, as follows: "Referring to 10 years, being about 470,060,000 bushels, bushels. There was a tariff under the old our conversation, we beg to say that the McKinley law of 25 cents a bushel on wheat, which being reenacted into the Dingley law, seems, independent of foreign shortnge, when taken in connection with these facts, to give the American farmer the 'cinch' on the world's wheat

PLACETAS PARTLY IN RUINS. General Gomez Does Effective Work in Santa Clara Province-Cubans

province, and this, with the capture of position to that of Judge Cox of the Disland brought to the station house. Tunas by Garcia, has caused all the war trict of Columbia in the Wood case, deinterest to center in the eastern provinces, aided yesterday.

forces have been well supplied with arms and ammunition by many of the expeditions that landed during the summer, and that they soon will begin an aggres will spread like contagion until it enguis

Havana has been astir all the week and troops are being shoved to the eastern end of the island by every kind of craft. Weak and emaciated sloklings just out of hospitals are being sent to service in the bardest section of the island to fight in. Weyler's stir is due to the imperative As a Result In that District Alone the demand from his home government that In View of the Fact that at Least One he satisfactorily explain the loss of Tunas. Instead of giving an explanation he will attempt to recapture the town. He will find, however, only a mass of ashes, as the insurgents have destroyed Tunes and

evacuated it. Weyler is taking from Havana eight battalions of 1500 men each, many of them physically unfit for service. They ton rifles and the brass tipped cartridges.

From Tunas complete details have been received. The town surrendered on August 30. Twenty-two forts and cuartels capitulated and the military commandant, three officers, and 91 soldiers surrendered and were sent to Holguin. Many joined the insurgents during the attack. Two cannons in the town were destroyed. Forty guerillos were hanged

Weyler will not leave for Tunas until

The latest dispatches from Placetas confirm the statement that the town has been attacked and partly destroyed by Gomez, but the details are not obtainable. Pittsburg, Sept. 16.—The strike against | Carrillo, with an American artillery force, reducing part of the town to ruins. Placetas is one of the largest and most important towns in Santa Clara province.

THE YELLOW FEVER.

Nothing Alarming in New Orleans-Eighteen Cases are Now Reported There and Eight at Edwards.

New Orleans, La. Sept. 16 .- There are no new cases of fever this morning and there is nothing alarming from the patients. Indications are there is no immediate danger of deaths. There is no doubt baccilli of yellew fever.

The board of health has officially deelared that there are suspicious cases at "Harrison was elected in 1888, and St Andrew of yellow fever. This makes

A telegram from Biloxi states an Ital-

Alarm Subsiding at Jackson,

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 16 .- No more people are leaving the city for two reasons, there are very few left here and none of them can get out on account of the rigid quarantine. Business is dead.

Mayor Redfield, of Edwards, tele graphed the Associated Press this morn-

BANK OF ENGLAND SILVER STORY

The Facts Given Out at a Meeting Today-France Must Resume Free Coinage and Price of Silver Must be Satisfactory.

London, Sept. 16 .- At the semi-annual meeting of the Bank of Enlgand directors today Governor George Sandeman, said: You are probably aware of the proposals laid before the government in the summer by the United States and France, whereby this country might increase its sume free coinage. Among the proposals

The governor then read a letter, dated July 29, addressed to the chancellor of bank is prepared to carry out what is laid down as a permission in the bank's char ter, viz, to hold one-fifth of the bullion held against its note issue, in silver, providing always that the French mint is again open to the free coinage of silver and that the price at which silver is procurable and saleable is satisfactory.

Postmaster Gordon Sustained. Chicago, Sep 16.—In the federal court today Judge Jenkins sustained Postmaster Gordon in the removal of Superintendent Carr, of the Englewood postal and face. A physician was called to at-Gomes has attacked and partly destroyed station, and dissolved the injunction settend to his injuries. He, together with cured by Carr. The judge took a similar

### It now is certain that the insurgent forces have been well supplied with arms THE HAZLETON RIOT.

sive campaign in the cast, which surely Story of the Events Leading Up to the Firing of the Sheriff's Deputies on the Strikers.

THE STORY IS VERY IMPORTANT

Foreign Nation May Claim Damages for Its Striking Subjects.

The following is the substance of the first account of what led to the shooting promptly obeyed by the deputies. of the Huns and Slave by the sheriff's deputies near Latimer, Pa., on the 10th inst. It is reprinted in order to see how nearly the report will tally with the testimony about being given before the coroner's jary---viz. :

Hazieton, Pa., Sept. 10,-Riot was rampant today among the striking hard that he did not give the command to coal miners at Latimer, and as a result 31 men are known to be dead and more than 40 are wounded more or less seriously. For some time a strike of miners, machinists, and mine laborers has been in operation in the Lebigh Valley.

How the Strike Began,

The trouble between the coal operators and their employes, which has been brewing for months, came to a crisis on August 18, when 2500 men of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre collissies went on a strike. They had made demands upon the company which were flutly refused, and, as a result, the men quit work. These demands included an increase in the wages of miners, laborers, engineers, machinists. and firemen to correspond with the scale of wages in force in the Wyoming district of the same company.

The men also demanded the privilege of selecting their own physician, and in addition asked that Superintendent Jones, who had made himself obnoxious to the men, be transferred to another dis

From the start the foreign element, in the minds of the physicians that the 18 composed of Poles, Hungarians and Itaiians, had control of the strike. The more conservative American element was outvoted on every occasion they attempted to urge a compromise, and were eventually terrorized by their fellow strikers.

The latter paraded the district for miles every day, visited every colliery where men had declined to join the strikers, and forced them to quit work. As a consequence of the reign of terror that prevailed the company engaged the services ian died in the heart of the city, appar- of a number of deputy sheriffs, who, fully armed, guarded the companies' colleries day and night.

Beginning with the employes of the Lebigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company it gradually extended itself until within the ast few days it included almost every mine in the extensive Lehigh Valley. Most of the strikers are foreigners who do not speak the English language, and the methods they adopted in conducting the strike were such as to spread terror among ing: "Eight cases of yellow fever in the the peacefully disposed residents of the in the United States during the first town and three in country. No deaths valley and to require the employment of bundreds of armed deputy sheriffs by the coal companies.

This morning a large number of the strikers, composed mostly of Hungarias and Poles, met at a place called Harwood, where they neld an impromptu meeting and were addressed by several of the leaders of the strike. The speeches were evidently of a nature to inflame the minds of the ignorant foreigenrs.

As a result they started out to terrorize and coerce the miners engaged in the strippings that were at work today. At Crystal Ridge and other places other strikers joined the band, whose numbers were considerably augmented by straggiers picked up on the line of march.

The first trouble began when the army the strippings of Cuyle Bros. are situated. were unsuccessful, and then followed a mad charge by the strikers upon the

First Fight With the Rioters. About a score of deputy sheriffs was on stones, bricks, pieces of old fron, and other missiles. The deputies refrained from firing and used their rifles as clubs to keep their assailants at bay.

One of the strikers was seriously ininred in the melse receiving a broken arm. He was cut and bruised about the head

The strikers then marched on, interding to reach Latimer and Milnesville be- freshments will be served.

tore nightfall. The deputies were burried forward with all possible baste in that direction by way of the traction cars, and reached Latimer in advance of the

At about 8:30 o'clook word was brought to the waiting deputies that the advance guard of the strikers was coming over the turnpike. Three companies of deputies were then drawn up across the roadway, barring further progress of the etrikers.

Sheriff Martin was in command. He stood in front of the line when the strikrs anneared.

force the sheriff read the riot act and commanded them to disperse and return to their respective homes.

This the strikers refused to do, and, urged on by their leaders, charged upon the shariff and the posse of deputies. In a moment the order to fire was given, by whom it is not quite-clear, and was The report seemed to shake the hillsides

and a cry of dismay went up from the strikers. They scattered those of them who could move, and another volley was fired into the retreating and disorganized band, killing and wounding several. Shariff Martin, when seen tonight, said

fire and did not know who did. STEEL THACKS FOR WAGONS.

ecretary of Agriculture Provides for More Experiments.

Washington, Sept. 16 -- In accordance with the desire of the secretary of agriculture to promote more extended experi ments in the use of steel track ways on wagon roads the bureau of road inquiry ass made arrangements with the Cambria Iron Works of Johnstown, Pa., for rolling special rails for this purpose these arrangements to go into effect as soon as definite raplies are received from responsible parties who will manage one mile of

The director of road inquiry and the engineers of the iron company after much discussion have agreed upon a plan of track which promises to meet all require ments. It needs no wood in construction and no crostles for support but consists of a simple inverted trough or channel of steel for each wheel with a slightly raised bead on the inside to guide the wheels, each channel resting in a bed of gravel and the two tied together occasionally to provent spreading.

Special devices for remounting are pro vided at each joint. The bearing or tread for wheels is eight inches wide, the thickness about 7-16ths of an inch. The weight of the structure is about 100 tons per mile of single track road, and it will be furnished in small sections at the rate of \$3500 per mile. The first order for track has been given by the New York State Agricultural Experiment Station.

DIED OF A BROKEN HEART. Five-Year Old Girl's Fatal Grief Over the

Death of Her Sister, Evansville, Ind., Sept. 16.-Little Frances Brown dled here, a victim of a broken heart yesterday morning, although but five years old. Last Sunday night her sister Virgie, a little over slx years of age, died of brain fever. Little Frances began orying, and grieved incessantly calling for her sister. She became so bysterical that physicians were called, and they attempted to quiet her. She asked permission to see her sister after she had been placed in the coffin, ard when the lid was taken off little Frances wrappedd her arms about the body and cried as if her heart would

brenk. She went to bed Tuesday night, and soon became unconscious. She babbled nearly all night of her sister, and early this morning died. The physicians pronounce it a case of broken heart, as the child was perfectly well in all other respects.

Illinois Methodist Conference Rushville, Ill., Sept. 16.-The 74th ses the Methodist Episcopal church opened in to them the responsibility of a possible of strikers reached Hazel mines, where the First M. E. church in this city yesterday. Bishop John M. Walden presided. can sou." Here a stop was made and a few men The address by the bishop was followed sent forward to induce those at work to by the sacrament of the Lord's supper. throw down their tools. In this they The following conference officers were urer. H. C. Gibbs; statistical secretary, J. B. Martin; rallroad secretary, C. W. hand conflict ensued. The strikers used Student," which was followed by pente-left temporal of a female skull was then costal service, conducted by John Willi-

> This evening the scholars of the par ochial school of St. James' German Catholic church will give a social at the ing in the I., D. & W. yards. Switch enhome of the rector Rev. Father Teeppe,on gine No. 8 backed into engine No. 7, pull, East Clay street adjoining the church. A jung a freight train. The break beam, pilot

Social This Evening.

Postal Clerk and Fireman Killed and Two Tramps Seriously Injured in Missouri.

PASSENGERS WERE 'HURT.

When the strikers had approached in Auarchist Caught Counterfitting in Indiana-Was Intimate with Parsons and Other Chicago Anarchista.

> St. Louis, Sept. 16.-A passenger and freight train on the Wabash road collided headon at Keytesville, Mo., at 2:45 this morning. William Gains, postal clerk and W. B. Smith, freight fireman, were killed. William Clark and Paul Street, tramps, were severely injured. No passengers were burt. Both engines and the two together equalling 740,000 bushels several cars were damaged. The accident was the result of the freight being late in taking the switch.

COUNTERFEITERS ARRESTED.

One of Them was an Anarchist Intimate with Parsons and Other Haymarket Rioters.

Valparaiso, Ind., Sept. 16.-Scoret service officers this afternoon made an important capture of alleged counterfeiters, the weather predictions, someone broke arresting Henry A. W. Brown, a photo grapher, in this city, and Theodoro Hanen, a farmer's boy, capturing the entire for the last three days, and asked him to outsit, together with counterfelt one, two give 'em something right. He remarked and five dollar bills. Brown is said to be that the predictions were "on the dead" an anarchist and was intimate with Par sons and other aparchists at the time of Michigan, showers and cooler; Missouri, the Haymarket riot in Chicago. Other arrests may follow.

ECHO FROM THE LYNCHING. Report that the Friends of the Victims Will Have Revenge.

Cincinnati, Sept. 16 .-- An Orgood Ind., special to the Times-Star says there is an awful reckening for the slaughter of the are determined that somebody must suffer ling doing anywhere. for the wholesale lynching. The inquest was resumed today. Many witnesses were called, but not one could identify anyone to 1814; eggs steady, 16. connected with the mob.

THE GOLFERS.

Playing in the Rain at Wheaton—Interest. lug Contests.

Wheaton, Ill., Sept. 16 .- The semifinals of the national golf tournament began this morning at 10:80 and will 914, ducks 7 to 12. probably have to be played right through the rain which is falling steadily. The contestants are Whigham against Douglass, McDonald against Betts.

The Chicago Golf club handleap began at 11 o'clock with over 100 entries of golf. a from all over the country.

Whigman beat Findley Douglass, six up and five to play, qualifying former for final. This is a victory for the west over

The Federation of Labor. Bloomington, III., Sept. 16.-The state Federation of Labor passed resolutions upon the Hazleton, Pa., affair which after depicirng the killing of the miners while peacefully marching upon the highways.

'Resolved, We view with alarm the encroachment upon the legal rights of the people by men in executive, judicial and militar authority whose duty is to en-"Resolved, We demand of the author-

Ities of Pennsylvania and the United States to do their full duty in bringing to justice all those responsible for the killing of the miners at Hazleton, Pa., as, should sion of the Illinois annual conference of they fail to perform their duty, we charge repetition of the revelution upon Ameri-The Luctteert Trial.

Chicago, Sept. 16 .- At the opening of the Luctgert trial this morning Professor elected: Secretary, C. B. Taylor; treas- Dorsey took the stand to correct his testi mony of yesterday. He said the female femur identified by him yesterday as Jacobs. In the afternoon Rev. William from the left leg was, in fact, from the Wirt King, D. D., delivered an able ad right leg. Dr. Norval Pierce, who yes dress on the subject, "The Preacher as a terday identified a frament of bone as the cross examined. Attorney Vincent tried lamson. The anniversary of the Freed for more than an hour in vain, to break mea's Aid society was held. The address the force of the identification of the was delivered by Rev. J. W. Hamilton, D. femur, by questioning Professor Dorsey closely as to the differences between femur bones of the male and female.

> Engines Collide. There was a, little collision this morn-

broken but the damage was slight.

### MARKET REPORT. BY B. Z. TAYLOR. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Chicago, Sept. 16 .- Wheat opened lower this morning, and sold down and up alternately during the session. The trade was good and the market was far from inactive, but there were still some dull spots noticeable in it. The cables were encouraging, from a bull standpoint of view at the opening, being quiet but %d above yesterday's closing. At today's closing, Liverpool closing cable was encouraging, from a bear's point of view, for wheat was quiet and %d below yesterday's closing price, a drop of 36d for today. There was no news today at all, and nothing to send the market either one way or the other. But the price moved a little, anyway, and seemed to be playing tag with itself all day long. There is still some little mixedness in the foreigners' situation, as they continue to both buy and selt. Liquidation seems to be the rule on all up turns, and getting long seems to be the desire of everyons when the market gets down a little way. The total clearances today were of good size, being 447,000 wheat and 65,000 flour, of wheat. Minneapolis got 301 cars of wheat today, and Duluth got 600, a total of 901, against 672 (Minneapolis 176, Duinth 196) a week ago, and 882 (Minnespolis 479, Duloth 858) a year ago. Receipts this morning were 51 cars over estimates.

Corn opened a little lower and secsawod all day, with fair trade and not inactive market. The price was parrow and strong. When Obleage started to send in and told him it was the same old thing - showers and cooler '-that he'd sent today, and then said: Illinois, Indiana, light frost; Minnesota, the Dakotas, Nebraska, fair, heavy frosts. It rained here at Decutur at 12:45 p. m. Total clearances of corn werd 241,000 bushels.

Oats were dull and firm all day, with exeruelatingly narrow range and a terrible lack of activity. Nothing doing; market dead: strong.

Provisions lower at the start, but infive men in Versailles jail, as all the vio-clined to be higher. Pork had fair trade tims have many friends and relatives, who lard small trade; ribs no trade. Noth-

New York--Butter. New York, Sept. 16.—Butter firm, 18

Pecira, III , Sept. 16 .- Corn lower, No. 2 2814; outs firm, inactive, No. 2 white 32 14.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Live poultry steady.

turkeys 9 to 10. chickens 81/4. spirngers ORIGAGO, Ill., Bept. 70.

	OMIGEOUS CONTRACTOR				
	Open- ing.	High-	est.	Clos- ing.	Yes- t'day.
Wheat— Sept Doc., May	93%	94% 93%	10314 102 A	93 % 93 % 92 %	04% 04% 94%
Corn— Sept Dec May.	31 1/4 34 %	813 35%	31 <del>1</del> 4		29% 81% 35
Oats— Bept Dec May		21 1/4 23 %		19% 21 % 23%	10% 21% 28%
Pork— Dec Lard	B.10	8.25	8.10 4.45	8.25	8.15 4.57
Dec	4 47%	4.00	*.4.,	4 80	4.80

Dec. wheat: Puts, 91%; Calls, 94%6; Curb,

To-Day's Becelpts-Car Lots. Wheat—351. Estimated, 300. Year ago, 221. Oorn—852; Estimated, 900; a year ago, 376 Oats—296; Estimated, 300; a year ago, 223. Estimates for To-Morrow. Wheat, 280; Corn, 925; Oats, 276.

Hog receipts, 21,000; estimated 10,000. Market shade lower, weak, Light, \$3.99@\$4.32; Heavy, \$3.95@\$4.25; Mixed, 3.95@\$4.27; Rough, \$3.85@\$8.80. Cattle.

Hogs.

Hatimated for to-morrow, 10,000. Cattle receipts, 12,000. Market weaker.

BASE BALL. National League.

Baltimore 13, Chicago 2. Louisville 4-2, Pittsburg 2-8. New York 19, Brooklyn 4.

Boston 9, Philadeldhia 1. Western League. Indinanpolis 5-8, Columbus 8-10. St. Joseph 3-8, Quincy 2-1.

How They Bland, Won. Lost. Pr. ct ...84 33 .718 ...85 35 .708 ...76 42 .644 

Funeral of Mrs. Erlaman. The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane Erisman was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock musical program will be rendered and re- and foot board on the fieight engine were from the residence. No. 252 North College

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### ART IN ARCHITECTURE.

DESIGNED AND WRITTEN ESPECIALLY FOR THIS PAPER. 

The nouses more than the people give the general aspect to a locality. In the buildings are the larger inhabstants, and they impress you more, the first landing it is open and prettily the property of the people with the p They possess great individuality and designed, with turned ballusters and strong physiognomy. How striking is neat newel posts. In easy communithe expression of gloom or gayety, bold-cation with the hall and with each ness or bashfulness, which they give! other are a good sized sitting or living Wherever you may live you are on good terms with some of the houses you have to face ddily, and with others you are dining-room communicates with the on ill terms. Certain houses you like at kitchen through a pantry by doors first sight, while others never gain your which are hung with spring hinges to favor or friendship.

The improved taste displayed in china closet built between the rooms.

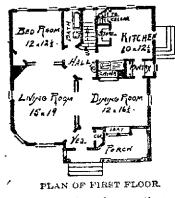
The houses more than the people both front and back stairs, thus reduc-

The lower or base shelf of the china house building during the past few The lower or base shelf of the china years has served to educate the people closet is two feet six inches high and to appreciate better work. No matter above this are five shelves, with two how small the structure may be, the pairs of doors opening on each side, owner will strive to embellish the de-sign as much as his pocketbook will al-rooms. Below this base shelf is built



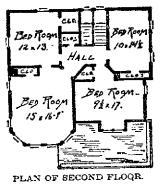
A TASTEFUL COTTAGE FOR TOWN OR COUNTRY

homes that dot the landscape the result of this education in architecture. Experience has proven that good substantial materials and work are less expensive than flashy, meaningless and per-ishable organients, which quickly decay. The exterior of the house should have the appearance of the welcome and comfort within. It has been said that "it costs no more to build a beautiful home than an ugly one." This can hardly hold true in every case, as everything depends upon the standard of beauty by which it is judged. It is an undisputed fact that a simple and even



plain house of good proportions and outlines will look better than an ornate being used in the first story and pine building of improper proportions and in the second. incongruous ornamentation

arranged and neatly designed frame tecture. The style of the house deveniences are introduced; for an atpends much on the location and the tractive and picturesque dwelling, with beautiful is stability. To have the true meaning of the word home-rest, quiet and simplicity—the house should be so designed. The house need not be bare and simple in every part. Certain parts some places it might be built for less. both inside and out can be more elab-



orately treated, but it must seem natural and not appear as "tacked on" orna-

This plan has been well studied with a view to getting a convenient and roomy house, with an artistic and well proportioned exterior effect, at a modthat renders it a very attractive cottage. It has four main rooms on the first floor and four bedrooms on the second, with plenty of good closet room. The convenience of the interior is apparent on examination of the floor plans. The entrance is from the front through a small vestibule into either the parlor or dining-room. For the sake of economy the stairs to be such that it serves as boiler is still at work.

room, dining-room and bedroom, being connected by wide sliding doors. The swing both ways. Also through a large



the building is 35x38 feet, not including the projection of the front porch and steps. There is a cellar under the whole house six and one-half feet deep. The first story is nine feet in height and the second story eight and one-half feet. The materials and workmanship are of the best throughout. The foundation is of stone up to the grade line, thence a frame underpinning 20 inches high of two by six studs, sheathed and papered outside and covered with sheet steel brick. The outside walls above the foundation are studded, sheathed, papered and finished with pine siding for first story, and with shingles for the second story and roof. The walls outside are painted three coats and inside are finished with hard plaster. The interior trim is of natural finished woods throughout the house, sycamore

For a compact, conv The plan here offered is that of a well with every facility for doing the work of the household with the least number house in an attractive style of archi- of steps, in which all the modern con-The first necessity in making a house know of any plan more appropriate than this.

The cost of the dwelling illustrated in this article, including modern im-provements, is from \$1,800 to \$2,000. In E. ALLEN PAYNE.

Better Than Steel Bullets.

It has been found that the ordinary eaden cartridges when used in a Krag-Jorgensen rifle are too soft, the lead clinging to the barrel of the rifle until it is finally clogged. Steel cartridges sometimes tear the barrel. C. W. Bates, a chemist, and E. Jerry, a surveyor, of Springfield, Ill., have discovered a so-lution with which they coat lead eartridges and render them superior to With smokeless powder and a Krng-Jorgensen rifle they have, at a dis tance of 30 yards, bored a hole through an ax handle and also through a flatiron. In the latter case the bullet peretrated a tree six inches. Bullets couted with their preparation would cost the government, to whom they offer to sell their secret, 90 cents per pound less than the steel bullets now used.

### Device to Catch Sparks.

A spark catcher, for use in stacks of locomotives, steamers and factories. erate cost. There is a neatness about it has been patented in Stettin, Germany. The idea upon which it is based is very simple. By its use particles of glowing coal are collected in a receptacle. which must be cleaned out from time to time. One great source of danger from fire seems to have been overcome.

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A furnace door has been patented in which the smoke is disintegrated and the stair hall is located to the rear of disseminated over the whole fire surthe living and dining-rooms. This might face, and those portions which are of seem an objectionable feature to some at value are consumed. It is said to save in first glance, but it is something easy to the cost of fuel, as smaller and cheapbecome accustomed to and well-liked er coal can be used. The doors can be after a trial. It allows the location of fitted to any kind of furnace, while the

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Columbus, O., tickets sold Sept. 21 and 22; Union Veteraus' Legion National Encampment, \$3.80 round trip.

Delayan III., account Tazeweii county fair. Tickets sold Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2 and 3, good returning until Sept. 4th; one and one third fare round trip.

Tennessee Centennial and international Exposition. Nashville, Tenn., May 1—October 31, 1897. We learn that our people Bre offered a very low rate to the Nashville Exposition via the F., D. & E. Railway. The time via this route is from soven to nine hours quicker than via any other route. With the inducement of the very low rate of the role of the providence of the county of

number of Expositions which have been held in recent years.

The P. D. & E. Ballway offer a low rate of \$3.10 from Decatur with limit of ten days. Ticknets of twenty day limit and also with limit Nov. 7th, may be had at a little higher rate. If any circular or information is decired it will be furnished upon inquiry from P. D. & E. Agent, or by writing direct to A. G. Palmer, who is General Passenger Agent at Evansylle, Ind.

June 5-to Oct 28

Through Buffet Sleeping Car to Mackinaw, Mich.

Commencing June 21st, the Vandalla Line will resume through Pullman Buffet Sleeping Car Service between St. Louis and Mackinaw, Gleepers will run via Terre Haute, St. Joseph. Grand Rapids and Petoskey-Bay View. This will be the only line of through cars from St. Louis to the delightful and cool resorts of Michigan. South-bound the last sleeping car for the season will leave Mackinaw Sunday night, September 29, 1857. For detailed information address nearest Vandalla Line Agent, or R. A. Ford, do neral Passenger Agent, St. Louis.

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# He Did...

There is a young man who lives in Decatur who is not using a pet expression of his to-day. He used it one night last week. He is always telling somebody, "Get a Gait On You"—or he is telling how he "got a gait on himself," instead of using plain English and saying he "had to hustle" or he "got a move on him." He was trying to get started home about 11 o'clock that night and he had got as far as the shall of Chicago, field secretary of the gate. About eleven minutes past eleven one of those warning voices board of foreign missions of the Preshycame floating out of the door..."Mamie...Mamy...Mamy! Come right terian church. Mrs. R. G. Wells presided in the house, you've been out there long enough," and the hinges the Sanday subset and the sensor man "get a goit on him." Sanday subset a goit on him." broke and the young man "got a gait on him." Sometimes it doesn't reading and prayer by Miss Caroline pay to "get a gait on you;" it will this week, though. We are going to Powers, Dr. Marshall gave a strong adsell 1,000 pairs suspenders at 10c and 15c. You'll save money if you dress on the "Duty and Responsibility of "get a gait on you" before they're gons.



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The last chance to see the dog and pony show will be tonight. Take the children to the tent and let them have an opportunity to ride the ponies.

Wanted-A dozen copies of the Daily Repulbican of Wednesday, September 8. Will pay 5 cents each for them at the office. Bring them before moon Friday.

digestive organs. Sold by Bell, the

Joe Wissen had more trouble with his family last night and the patrol wagon be got on the train without a drink, just brought him to the police station, where as it was pulling out. he was locked up for the night. He was intoxicated and had made things wild and

"I burned my firgers very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It are expected. The program has been ar deraville, O. Sold by Bell, the druggist.

Sam Nweeya, a Perslan, gave a lecture on his native land last night at the Christian Tabernacle. He had an audience of 300, and gave a very entertaining and in structive talk. At the close he received a donation from the audience and sold a

James A. Pitzer has filed a bill for a diorce from Ellen E. Pitzer. He declares in his bill that they were married on Auguet 8, 1899. Immediately afterward he became convinced of her infidelity and left her. In 1895, three years after he left her, she gave birth to an illegitimate shild. His attorney is J. D. Moffett.

The laying of the brick in the Merchant street alloy was finished yesterday under the direction of Superintendent Williams. The surface of the pavement space is smoother than it has been within the memory of the oldest inhabitant. There is a good fall for the drainage.

William Logan, employed on the West-Eldorado street improvement, was over- the henor of having it in the near future. come by the heat yesterday afternoon and was conveyed to his home by Contractor Tuttle in his buggy. He was promptly attended by a physician. He will recover.

A. J. Biaine, the druggist, will within the next few days move to the Ennis store We are now making prices which will room on North Water street, two doors south of where he is now located and one door north of the Loper restaurant The house and lot in Decatur-lot 10, block 6, room which he will vacate is owned by H. W. Fenton and it is to be refitted up for a retail store by Mr. Fenton.

tached to a heavy coal wagon. A colli- after this week is over, sion was inevitable and the truck stock and the wagen were completely wrecked. All of the wheels were shattered and there was nothing for the twins to do but stand around and view the damage. Somebody will have to reimburse the wey to see a lawyer at last accounts.

Missionary Meeting. Last night the Foreign and Home Missionaries societies of the Presbyterian church held a joint meeting at the church and were addressed by Dr. Thomas Marthe Church in the Present Day of Awaken-

The address treated of the needs of foreign missionary work and the duty of the church in the matter. The meeting was largely attended and instructive.

### TRY ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season of the year your feet feel swollen and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures and prevents swoden and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Helieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it 70-DAY. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

IT WILL BE A STUNNER. The October Blowaut of the Princes of the

Orient-Parade and Banquet, The committee in charge of the prepara tions for the great parade meeting of the Princes of the Orient to be held on the first Wednesday night in October, are

making a big stir just now and everything seems to be in fine trim for the supled the Methodist pulpit. gala night. Official announcements will be made in a few days under the great seal of the illustrious order, and then the princes will get ready to turn themselves loose. There will be a special train on the Vandalia from Terre Haute. The princes of that town to the number of 200 or more with T. H. band will be in the received \$66. He said nothing, but getparade. Goodman's full band has been ting on the train he came to Blooming. secured for the night, and there will be a ton, where he bought a new suit of clothes, banquet as an entertaining feature for new shoes and hat. Yesterday the Clinthe visitors. Only red fire will be used on ton authorities came to Bloomington and the night of Octobor 6.

Looked for Mineral Water, Yesterday the men employed at the depot had fun with a weil known Paoris man who was passing through the city. The Peorla man was on the northbound P. D. & E. train on his way home from the southern part of the state. Before reaching this city he wanted a drink of water. There was no ice in the water cooler and he asked the conductor where he could get a drink of cool water. The conductor jokingly told the Peorla man that he had better wait till he got to Despring. The Peorla man didn't catch

United Brethren Conference.

The Central Illinois Conference of the United Brethren church convened in Saybrook yesterday, this being its 33rd annual session. At the conference 50 ministers was almost magical. I never saw any ranged by Rev. B. F. Dungan, pastor of the United Brethren church. The list of speakers includes some of the leading ministers of the church and their subjects indicate that all the important questions before the church will be discussed. The conference will be presided over by Bishop Castle, D. D., of Indiana

Owing to the United Brethren church not being completed the conference was held Wednesday night at the M. E church, but after that the conference will be held in the United Brethren church.

Central Illinois Homeopathic Association. Dr. Laurens Enos attended the meeting yesterday, held at Bloomington, Ill. This medical association was organized recently and is composed of the homeopathic physicians of central lilinois. A number of instructive papers were read upon autumpal fevers and Dr. Enes read paper entitled "My Experience with Tywas covered with cement, and now the phoid Fever." The doctor's method of treatment and success in curing typhoid fever were highly commended by the members present. The next meeting will be held at Champaign and Decatur will have

County Court Affairs.

Mrs Fayette S. Dickinson has been uppointed by Judge Hammer administratrix of the estate of her late husband Henry Dickinson, who left real estate valued at \$1200 and \$800 in personal property. There are seven beneficiaries of the will.

Sarah J. Jones has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth Grover, deceased, who was the owner of a Stevens addition No will, two heirs.

Taylorville Breeze, September 15: Thirty two men went to work at the coal "Wild Bill" and his twin brother had mine this morning, two more than yesterkinds of grief this morning on East day. A number of strikers were at the Wabash avenue with their truck wagon. shaft, but no attempt was made to pre-They had their vegetable wagon leaded vent the men from going down. Instead art, of Oreans went to Normal Saturday with applies and meions and were making they are working upon the sympathies of to enter school. the rounds of the stores and residences to the men who have resumed work and make sales, when there came tearing have the promise of nearly all of them down the avenue a runaway team at that they will again join in the atrike

G. W. Hamer, the grocer on East Eldorado street, has sold a half interest in his store to John Brant, the assistant engine inspentor of the Wabash. The firm name will now be Hamer and Brant. Mr twins for their loss. They were on their Brant will remain with the railroad com pany and will not be in the store at pres-Called to Tuscola.

Florey and Bendure with their hounds were called to Tuscola yesterday by J. H. Taylor, a neighbor of B. Ewin, the latter's home, north of town, on Tuesday even bouse being burlgarized Tuesday night ing. A dainty supper was served. Those and many valuable articles taken. The dogs took a trail at once and after a chase of five miles, run onto some broom corn cutters, who were arrested and locked up.

A Fine Pay Team.

Billy Downing is driving a fine team of pers. They are six and seven years of age and are dead matches. They will be direction of Mrs. A. Barndt. taken to Springfield for exhibition at the state fair.

Mt. Pulaski Couple Married. Fred Shaffer and Miss Mitilda Engelhart, both of Mt. Pulaski, were married served. The company included Misses last night at the home of Mr. Shaffer's Kete Edmonds, Agnes Compton, Mate sister, Mrs. Frank Arnold. The ceremony Smart, Lette Smart, Pearl Stubblefield, was performed by Rev. Marcus Wagner, Rose Danley, Alice Schenck, Messra. D. The couple will live at Mt. Pulaski.

Married. At his office by Judge Hammer, on September 15, Fred H. Higgins and Miss Nallie Lancaster, both of Macon.

Rev. Alex. Hartman, who with his wife and two children, was killed in the railroad wreck at New Castle, Col., last week, was a brother of John Hartman of Warrensburg, this county. Mr. Hartman bas gone to Herschel, Ill., to attend the triple funeral. The minister had frequently visited Warrensburg and had oc-

Had to Strip Off the New Suit. Bloomington Pantagraph: A day or wo ago one John Taylor employed on the Illinois Central section near Clinton, received a check for what was due him, amounting to 68 cents. At the bank he with the sid of the local police Taylor was found. He went to the station, where he surrendered what money he had left, about \$45, and taking off the new suit and has handed them over to the Clinton officers, putting in their place theold out-

the transformation. He was permitted then to go his way. Fascinating, Novel and Instructive. Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's true catur and get some of the fine mineral capital were requisite to accomplish the remedy for constipation and kindred ills, water at the depot. When the train marvelous series of journeys it has made, ink. It acts directly on the bowels, the liver, stopped in Decatur the Peoria man got off which extended from the plans of Amerthe skin, and imparts strength to the and with a little silver cop rushed around loa to the foothills of the Pyrenees, the the depot platform looking for the mineral Alps and the Caucasus But all difficulties were surmounted and their story is onto the fact that he had been joked until one long unbroken series of triumphant

The added and highly fascinating, as vell as instructive, feature which shows in action all the world's primitive horse men and the heavy cavairy of Europe and America is now first presented here and should be seen by all. The magnitude of the undertaking is almost incredible. They carry a portable grand stand, seat ing 20,000 people; an enormous portable electric light plant of 100,000 candle power, and shelter, food and forage for 600 men and their horses. In the nature of things, this exposition can be seen but little longer; the historical personages in it are fast passing from the scene of ac tion; the buffalo has nearly passed away entirely, and his compeers are following him rapidly to the happy hunting grounds of the hereafter.

In the morning there will be a free street cavaloade with detachments from every division, enlivened with three bands of music, including the famous Buffalo this late hour to express through the

Bul's Cowboy band. The wild west exhibition will appear

here on Thursday, September 28.

Robert Morris returned to Champaign university Friday.

Mrs. Nettie Torrence spent Sanday a E. J. Carter visited the family of Rev

J. H. Waterbury at Cerro Gordo Sunday J R. Morgan returned Monday from a visit with Illiopolis relatives.

Mrs. Jessie Kinnaman leit Thursday to oin her husband at Fairbury, Neb J. M. Persinger and wife and T. H.

Burr and wife, left Friday for Niagara

Miss Vada Mayall left Saturday to re nine her studies at Knox college. Mr and Mrs. Lyle, of University Park,

Col., are guests of the family of Anton Eble, northwest of Maroa. Miss Ida Schenck returned to Decatur

Monday after a visit with Marca relatives. Miss Jennio Ray, of Emery, spent ounday with the family of Clint Ray.

Mrs. John Hankinson returned Friday to ber home at Franklin, Ohio.

Miss Ada Berkler and Miss Alta

Misses Pet and Donna Buckingham and Mr. Barnes, of Decatur, were guests of Dr. Anderson Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Paulin, of Tuscola, who has been visiting relatives in Marca returned home Thursday.

Mrs. A. Sanderson, of Depatur, and Mrs. William Wilson, of Pana, were guests of George Conover and family Thursday.

on Friday evening in honor of the 85th -9-dtf wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Miner. Refreshments were served. Miss Viva Hutchinson entertained a

small company of friends at her pleasant present were Misses Mate Smart, Mollie Schultz, Lotta Smart and Dr. Frank Cos. Dr. G. W. Weyl and Miss Linns Cooper were married at noon Tuesday at the

bride's home. The ceremony was per formed by Elder Lloyd Newcomer. Only bays about the city today, that are win the immediate relatives were present. An elaborate luncheon was served, under the A number of our young folks were en

tertained at the home of David Weilepp, east of town, on Friday evening. It was a wheel party. Refreshments were H. Glassford, Dr. G. S. Edmondson, Dr-D. S. Anderson, R. E Nesbitt, Roy Moyer, D. N. Gray and wife and Walter Shade, of Decatur.

Checks cailed for. Davis' delivery.

FROM RED TO GREEN.

Two-Cent Stamp is Soon to Be Changed in Color. The red two cont stamp has had its day,

and the sticker ou the ordinary correspondence will be green I creafter. This is not a political move, but is brought about solely by motives of economy. The government uses about 8,000,000,000 of the two cent stamps every year. Green ink is cheaper than carmine, and, besides that, the government uses green for the revenue stamps, so that there is economy of cost and labor in using the same color for the most important of the postage used. The change back to the green color means an annual saving to the government of from \$8000 to \$10,000. The two cent stamp has been printed in red for three ears, and was also the color adopted for a long time before the World's Fair issue. The chief of the bureau of engraving recommended the change from red to green largely because be considered the former color too undignified for a great government, but the change was ordered by Scoretary Gage and Postn aster General fit which he had carried with him since Gary chiefly on the score of economy, the relative dignity of the red and green not being brought up at the cabinut meeting, where the matter was settled. Some time 'Buffalo Bill's Wild West and Congress ago there was a story affeat that green of World's Rough Riders" is of much link used in stamps was poisonous, but more than passing importance. Energy, the experts at the bureau of sugraving skill, perseverance, enterprise and large say it is not a bit more dangerous than oarmine, or, in fact, any kind of printing

The Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. committee having in charge the entertainment of the delegates for the state convention, to be held here Ostober 20 to 24, met last evening. The committee is composed of Milton Johnson, R. J. Simpson and J. W. Carter. They will call upon the different churches to entertain the following number of dele-

Presbyterian 100, First Methodist 100, Baptist 75, Grace F. bodist 75, Congregational 25, Erglish Lutheran 25, Cumberland Presbyterian 25, German Methodisa 25, Edward Street Christian 25, Church of God 25, United Brethren 25.

The following were appointed on subcommittees: R. C. Augustine, Milton Johnson, Jr., Bert Bivans, J. S. Baldwin, J. E. Willis, W. L. Funk, C. C. Barnbart, E. P. Irving, W. J. Huff, W. H. Elwood, E. R. Culver, George W. Jones, M. L. Deck, Rov. A. W. Hawkins, Leslie Burob, Rev. M. B. Spayd, A. Witzemann, J. W. Fritz.

Card of Thanks. Eds. Republican .- We desire even at

medium of your paper our deep sense of gratitude and appreciation of the earmest sympathy, friendly counsel and kindly assistance extended to us upon the occasion of the death and burial of our beloved dead. We feel especially indebted to the Order of Knights of Pythins, Modern Woodmen and Home Forum for acts of kindness, as well as their touching and beautiful services at the grave, and to the choir we tender our grateful thanks. May the Lord lift up his countenance upon them all and give, them peace. Respectfully, Mrs. H. M. Kreilder, Mrs. B. Stare and family.

Halmbacher-Sharrein Wedding. Frank Halmbacher and Miss Charlott Sharrein were married yesterday aiternoon at 4 o'clock at St. James' German Catholic oburch. The ceremony was parformed by Rev. Father Tepps in the presence of a few friends and relatives. The attendants were August Boshm and Miss Augustina Bomball. The bride wore a white silk dress and carried white reses. A reception was given last evening to the cauple at the home of the bride's parents, 1354 East Orchard street. The couple will keep house at 567 North Folk street.

Death of a Child. .

Mabel, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, died at 7 a m. September 15, at the family home at Casner. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 c'clock and the remains were buried at the Long Creek cometery.

P. M. at Elkhart.

At Elkhart in Logan county W. G. Shafer has been appointed postmaster in place of Patrick Murphy, resigned

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1897. WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Chicago, Sept. 16.-Illinois: Showers much cooler this afternoon and toright Friday fair and cooler; fresh west to northwest winds.

A Frank Confession from Bradford The American Economist: It is a fact that under the McKipley tariff the wages of operatives, as well as the profits of em-ployers, were out down. It is also a fact that every increase of foreign tariff has the same results. And yet the Cobdenites would have us believe the stale old fallacy that the burden of tariffs "must" fall upon the consumer and the consumer alone. There is not a weaver for the American market in this district who could not, from his or her own experience, disprove the theory and show that he contributed by the docking of weekly earn-America imposed ings to pay the duties America imposed.

Bradford, Eng., Dally Argus, August

Yes, it is quite refreshing to have such a frank confession from the heart of Worstedopolie as this. The British manu two years have conclusively shown. But | ness. Give us a speedy change. what do we find today? No sconer was it known in Bradford that the president had signed a new tariff, than hundreds of looms were stopped within six days, and we are right in affirming that they have stopped forever, if American people will only follow the tariff dectrine of President McKinley. Our future is for American manufacturers and for American people in general, however hard Bradford may long to get into our markets. We know enough of their destructive and crippling power. What with their shoddied goods and poor pay to their operatives, we have sons or brothers of the women. There had enough. We only pity the poor weavers of Bradford, compelled to thop operation. there with \$2 a week. The future to them must indeed be dark. We fully expect to hear before long of a further reduction in wage taking place in that quarter, as Bradford manufacturers are still determined to get over the Dingley bar, even if at the further expense of 'docking the weekly earnings' of their weavers "to cover the duties America imposes." Let them try their little game.

The only hope of the Popocrat is to manage in some way to inspire a spirit of mer is supposed to have threatened the rebellion against the government among lives of the complainants for having rethe wage earners of the country and their fused bim food. He is coarse and unemissaries are at work fementing that kempt in appearance and looks like a sort of thing wherever they can. They tramp. will fall, however, in this, for the simple reason that the intelligent wage earner has more sense than the Popocrat and he knows it, and a few strikes like the recent miner's strike and the immense wage loss on account of idleness with no consequent gain, will convince the more ignor ant that semebody is trying to use them for some other purpose than bettering

owners who met on the battlefields of the agreed to a scale of 37 cents a ten top civil war to settle in blood the questions in which the north and the south disagreed, and it may be put down a certain that if the Altgelds, the Debses and other mountebanks succeed in feeling labor into rebellion against the laws of the country, their blood will not be shed accident, end at the end of a rope, but not | ward street. in the storm of battle.

Those people, whether inboring men or demagogues, who teach that war should British peerage. He has been twice marbe waged upon the capital which employs ried. labor do the cause of labor inestimable harm. The more intense and unreasonable such war is the less capital will be inless demand there will be for labor. In 3 A peach 13% inches in circumference this connection it is well to reflect that those people who urge labor to war on capital never use their capital to employ

If the American people had listened to the free traders we would not now have a tin industry in this country employing nearly 70,000 people and the same free traders know just as little about the money question and the labor question and government by injunction as they knew about making tin in this country and putting a pair of black eyes on the Weish tir plate manufacturer.

Andree and Weyler are perhaps the two greatest subjects for sympathy in the world. Andree is lost in the region of the north pole, while Weyler don't know where he is "at."

General Weyler seems to be having more trouble in the field at present than he formerly had with the press can-orship.

The Federation of Labor does not con our with Debs in the opinion that the an archists hung in Chicago are martyrs.

Hearing groans, which indicated that perhaps a murder was in progress, coming from a Springfield residence, the po lice broke in and after a search discovered that the noise proceeded from a gas meter that had gone on a strike. In Decator the consumers instead of the meters do the groaning. Meters do business as s rule without greaning.

Spain seems to be waking to the fact that in the exchange of prisoners in Cuba she has at last recognized the belligerency of the Cubans. Why may not the United States do likewise in a mere formidable

The greatest depreciation in value that bas ever occurred in se short a period of time in this country is the decline in the value of last fail's Popocratic speeches since the Republicans came into power.

A WELCOME SHOWER.

After Many Days of Anxious and Expec tant Walting the Temperature is Slightly Lowered.

This afternoon the long promised drop in the high temperature, which has been with us for 16 days, was ushered in by a welcome shower of rain, but it came in a grudging manner, centinuing only for a short time, but it was such a novelty hand, it is just possible that some other that it was more than welcome, even if it was a small faver. Enough rain fell to dampen the streets, and the clouds obscuring the penetrating rays of the sun served to give a marked change in the the bicycle out of consideration. The temperature. The temperature fell six bicycle has been charged with interdegrees in a short time and it will go ference in the affairs of several lines of lower before evening. It was 91 when business. the rain began, and at 2:30 it was down to 85 in the Republican office. The prob abilities are that the backbone of the heat.d term, if that is the proper term to facturer knows that, in order to keep his adply to the torrid spell, is broken, and looms fully going, he must have free act that in a short time we will have weather cess to the American market. But Brad- suitable for the season of the year. Deford's briskness means death silence to catur is not located near the equator. thousands of American looms, as the past We have bad our share of Belivian mild

WOMEN CRUSADERS.

Armed with Rolling Pins Clubs and Pok-

ers They Force Workmen to Quit. Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 16.-Two hundred and fifty women of McAdoo and Audenried districts made more trouble this morning than 10,000 striking miners have caused since Friday's shooting. Armed with clubs, rolling pins and pokers, they invaded the washeries which have hitherto been wrking, and forced 300 men to quit work. The men ere mostly husbands, is not now a colliery of importance in

In Jail. Charles S. Laramer was brought to the Macon county jail Wednesday night from Macon He was arrested near there on complaint of Clinton Dunkel, Mamle Dunkel and Charlie Albright, who charge that Laramer threatened to kill them and the whole family. He was taken before A. Daggett, justice of the peace at Macon, held to the grand jury, and sent to Decatur in charge of a constable. Lara-

Southern Illinois Miners Resume. St. Louis, Sept. 16,-The coal miners' strike is over so far as the district supply. ing St. Louis is concerned. Seventeen miens in the sixth Illinois district reorning. Representaties of the strikers over after making repairs.—S. M. over 17 independent operators today and Warns, in L. A. W. Bulletin. It was not the abolitionist nor the slave met 1.7 independent operators today and weight, mine run.

-Manager Given, of the Powers Grand, arrived home this morning from Ohio, where he spent a few days with his

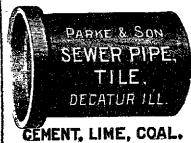
-Miss Clara Sawyer is seriously ill of on the field of conflict. They might, by typhoid fever at her home on North Ed-

The duke of Westminister has more children than any other member of the

More than 5000 copies of Captain Mahan's "Life of Nelson" have been already sold in England.

was raised in McMinn county, Tennessee this season.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids directive. Old records that it just axdigestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents and \$1 per bottle at the drug stores of J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.





THE LIQUOR TRADE Has It Been Injured by the Introduction of the Bicycle?

The enthusiastic wheelman is fond of declaring that as bicycles become more numerous the amount of liquor consumed in the country decreases. This declaration finds color of proof in the recent report of the commissioner of internal revenue, which shows a decrease during the past year of about 5,000,000 gallons in the consumption of whisky and of 1,403,004 barrels in the consumption of beer. He attributes this lecrease to the prevalence of hard times, so that the decrease should be than made up during the present year if his theory is correct, providng also that the reports of prosperity are well founded. In commenting on this report the Milwaukee Sentinel thinks that very likely the smaller consumption of liquors is due to the cause ascribed it by the commissioner, and the liquor manufacturers may in that case look forward to a considerable improvement in business. On the other cause has operated to lessen the consumption of liquors, and, if one is looking about for a good, plausible explanation for any alteration in business conditions, it is hardly possible to leave

Wherever there has been a noticeable falling off in the receipts of a business man be has usually succeeded in tracing the responsibility to the bicycle. Therefore it is not surprising to find that the smaller sales of liquor during the rast year are by some placed to the redit of the bicycle. The liquor dealers have not, so far as we know, made this statement. It comes from a newspaper source, the Philadelphia Times being credited with the discovery that there is a possible relation between the increased use of the bicycle and the decrease in the consumption of Equor. In elaborating this theory it says: "The bicycle is the enemy of the liquor habit for two reasons. It approriates both for its purchase and for its use the spare money of the young man that formerly went largely to the saloon keeper, and it makes impossible overindulgence in intoxicating drinks,

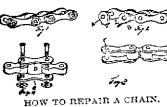
REPAIRING THE CHAIN.

Carry an Extra Link with You Wher No minor acident is more annoying

vantage by a strong-limbed and clear-

or more difficult to repair than a broken chain. Many riders carry an extra link, but with no means of using it. Have your dealer make a link like Fig.

t, and carry it and a small file. When a side link breaks like Fig. 2, file off the heads of rivets A and B, and put on side



plates C and D. If a conter link breaks like Fig. 3, file off the heads of rivets E Americans all seem to have. I lived and F, and relpace the section thus re-

moved by Fig. 1. The side plates of the extra link are threaded, and the bolts screwed in. A sumed today. It is probable all the small smooth ten-cent piece makes an exoperators in the district will some into cellent screwdriver. If the breaking of line before the end of the week. The Duthe chain is caused by its clambing the quoin men all return to work Friday sprockets, it would be well to turn it

How to Stop Suddenly. wise, is as follows: Firmly grasp the all my life in the so-called temperate handlebars, pull them toward you; at zone."—N. Y. Mail and Express. the same time throw the body back-ward and rear up on hind wheel and. ward and rear up on hind wheel and.
sitting down in the road, of course
holding on all the while; neither rider

nor machine will come to harm. Any wheelman can be satisfied as to its feasibility on a good lawn, and be convinced that it is both harmless and simole.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Tire Made of Threads. Good track and road records have been made by a new tire which is being manufactured in a Rhode Island city It is made of threads instead of fabric, the result being a record to the result being manufactured. ric, the result being a much livelier and stronger tire than the ordinary product. At a test made last fall this tire stood a pressure of over 300 pounds to the square inch, finally bursting at 322 pounds. The road and racing tires are made exactly alike so far as the construction is concerned, the only difference being in the weight of the outer covering of the rubber.

Paneture Detector.

simple and convenient device for locating a puncture in a pneumatic tire consists of a small air-tight easing, the lower part of which is hollowed out to allow of its passage along the tire, having a fine guaze wire bottom, above which is placed some light material, such as bran, fluffy cotton, floss, etc., whose agitation will disclose the presence of the leak as the casing is moved slowly along the tire.

Decision as to Rired Wheels. A New York magistrate has decided that a youth who hired a bicycle for an hour, kept it more than a week and then did not return it, but was arrested while riding the machine, had not presumptively attempted a larceny of the wheel. He was liable only in a suit for

MOONLIGHT AND X RAYS.

Tropical Country. "Don't lie with your face in the moonlight," said the lady from the tropics. "Do you truly believe there can be harm in the moon's rays?" said the oth-

er, laughing.
"Do I? Why, I've seem persons whose features were disfigured for life by it.
They were held up as a horrible example to me as a child. It was no uncommon thing for me to see a person with mon thing for me to see a person with his or her face grotesquely swollen on one side in the morning. The moon-light had touched that side of the face

during sleep."
"But what in the world can cause

"The heat of the moon's rays," was the reply. "I know by experience that a full moonlight night is warmer than a night when the moon is dark or not overindulgence in intoxicating drinks, , visible. I read recently that the X rays because it can be operated only to administration and the property of the control of the metal casques of the soldiers of old times were probably designed to ward off the deadly element in the sun's rays. The moon's rays are only the sun's rays reflected, and the sun's X rays may be deflected, too. There are any number of rases of permanent or temporary discusses of permanent or temporary discusses. deflected, too. There are any number of cases of permanent or temporary disfigurement from the X rays, and thus we may account for the effects of the moonlight.

"When I came to this country I could not sleep if the moon shone into my bedroom. Sometimes I would forget that the moon would be shining and leave the blinds open. As soon as the first ray of moonlight came into the room l would wake, and there was no more slumber for me, even after the room had been darkened.

"The thing that puzzled me." went on the lady from the tropical country, nettled perhaps at the incredulty that her remark about the moon had provoked, "when I came to the United States, was the terror of draughts that you constantly in a 'draught,' and never was the worse for it. But even in midsummer you are afraid to let the air

"What is a draught, anyway?" osked one of her hearers. "H I sit between two windows, the air passing in at one and out of the other. I am warned against taking cold; I'm in a 'draught.' If I go out on the lawn and let the same current of air pass me I'm only enjoymethod of avoiding a collision by ing a breeze. What virtue or evil there suddenly stopping a bicycle and dis- is in four walls to change the blessed mounting when there is no time or opportunity to use a brake, foot or other fess I don't understand. And I've lived

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Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the Drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grow so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and weil. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Coids is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at the drug stores of J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

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These goods were bought cheap and we propose to give our patrons the ben. efit of our bargain. We are here to do business and are bidding high for your patronage. Call and see us, examine our stock and get prices. We are always pleased to show our goods no matter whether you buy or not.

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What Scientists Say of the Minute Bacilli of Yellow Jack.

Has the True Germ Deen Found?-Some Singular Facts-Visitations and Victims of the Past-Capt. Mitchel's Experience.

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Here is a description of the yellow ever germ, adapted from statements put forth by a disciple of the authorities quoted:

Every yellow fever microbe has an ap-pearance somewhat similar to three joints of sugarcane, only they are not straight, each joint angling from the others. In size they are so small that language almost breaks down in any attempt at proper description. You may arrive at some apprehension of the fact, however, when it is explained, fi: st, that if you could string the little disks that float in the blood, and are called red corpuscles, on a thread it would take 3,200 of them to stretch an inch; and then that it would take 150,000 yel-

It is utterly impossible adequately to indicate the littleness of one of these germs. They are so small that under a glass that magnifies 1,200 diameters they seem the merest specks; one drop of blood would hold billions on billions of them. But once let a microbe of any myriadsofthem. A certain German professor who experimented with cholera germs in 1892 declares that 16,000,000 were produced from one individual, under favorable circumstances, in 24

To go back to the yellow fever germs, it is only fair to say that a great crowd of experts, not so well known to the publie as Gibler and Freire, perhaps, but

een a brilliant military career. Gen. Mitchell had other claims than those of a soldier upon the memory of his countrymen, for he was the first American subject with the masses. He began his

1 years later. More than 30 years after that yelfor his work in the popularization of astronomy in America. This was Prof. Richard A. Proctor, an Englishman, ly it would have killed me had the news who had made the United States his adopted country. Prof. Proctor wrote voluminously and well upon other topenough, though I have never seen the fact alluded to in print, one of his last articles written in the fall of 1888, but not published until after his death, treated of yellow fever and other

plagues After the great New Orleans outbreak in 1853, when 4,000 persons died of the fever, out of a total population of 60.-000, there were no further yellow fever epidemics until 1867. Six years later, in low fever microbes to stretch across the 1873, there was another, and yet five years later, in 1878, another. Then there was ten years' interim, but the outbrenk of 1888 was bad enough to make up for its tardiness.

A peculiarity of the disease is that it greatly resembles malarial fevers. In fact, the first few cases are in every out break generally mistaken for malaria, sort lodge in your system, and you will and not many years ago it was hard for soon become the home of unthinkable a doctor to distinguish the more malicnant disorder until after the black vomit had set in. Nowadays, however. this is, comparatively speaking, an east matter. The microbe of malaria has been discovered. The name under whic! eroscopes, who study such things,

it is known to the wise men with mi-"plasmodium malariae"—and it is quit cantankerous enough in its doings to justify such a designation. It is always better I newn in the professional world—am—g them Sternberg, Cornit and Oster-Coubt very much that the germ of yell w jack has yet been found. But



YELLOW FEVER SCOURGE IN THE SOUTH.

and they all seem to agree that when it ing to the above-mentioned wise mer has been fully identified the war against with microscopes. it will be greatly simplified.

There are places where yellow juck So Four Piece

lomes. But it appears in temperate elimes only periodically, and never persists after a strong, killing frost. More than that, it never shows itself far from than that, it never shows itself far from than that, it never shows itself far from than that it never shows itself far from the siderable degree of immunity from the "On one occasion," continuous farming the content of the connect to one I was a connect to the connec

shore parts of the republic in 1797, 1798,

1799, 1802, 1803 and 1805. New Orleans suffered most, actually; though in anticipation there was an enormous lot of suffering in all parts of the country, especially along the Mississippi river and its tributaries.

We need to dread to see a story. Then there was a full until 1853, when

"We used to dread to see a steamer coming from below," said one who remembers that epidemic well, to the writer yesterday. "I then lived on the Ohio, and I shall never forget how some of the more ignorant of our neighbors used to run and hide when they heard a boat's whistle down the river. The fever did not come after all, but there was little relief to our feelings until after the first heavy frost."

In 1856 there was a yellow fever epidemic as far north as Brooklyn. It was article. brought there by ships from New Or-leans, and in spite of the best and closest quarantine that could then be inaugurated it did deadly work. Among the first to be carried off was Gen. Morthe regulararmy. Acurious thing about the Brooklyn visitation of 1856 was the shore, no cases being reported more than half a mile away from the water.

even they do not doubt its existence, lly suffering from yellow fever, accord

Negroes, children, women, and per is forever present. Havana is one of mated, are less likely than others to be them; Rio Janeiro is another; Vera attacked by yellow fever; but when ne-Cruz still another. Certain places on the west coast of Africa are also included in the list of the sever's fateful With women it is different; even where

4.041 persons, or one in every ter, were taken down with the fever, and 3,435 America from the filth always brought of them died. Following epidemies along by slave ships and dumped overhoart fully scourged southern and seasons parts of the republic in 1797, 1798.

This is borne out by the fact shore parts of the republic in 1797, 1798. that the fever has followed the Asiatic coolie trade in much the same manner.

complained of weariness would take a cooling drink, lie down for a moment's rest and never rise again. In one instance a man who was stricken never even moved, and when spoken to five minutes after lying down was found to be quite dead.

Capt. F. S. Mitchell, the war novelist.

son of the late Gen. Mitchell, who was stricken with yellow fever at the time his father died, has described some of his experiences to the writer of this

"I was sitting on a veranda late one October evening," said Capt. Mitcheli, "when I had a slight chill. This was followed by another, and that by another, and that by still another. In fact, they followed each other at brief intervals ris, of the regular army, commander of followed each other at brief intervals
Fort Hamilton, and Gen. Stanton, also of all night. And such a night! I tossed and mouned and mouned continually. At the same time Fsuffered a most terfact that the disease kept near the rific backache. No such pain had ever come to me before.

"In the morning I experienced the In 1862 there was some yellow fever in the south, though not an epidemic. The civil war was raging then, and continued all day, and by night my naturally, the northern troops suffered low fever. For five days they watched naturally, the northern troops sunered low fever. For five days they watched most from the disease. It was especially over me before the fever broke. Much ly virulent near Beaufort, S. C., and its most distinguished victim was Gen. of the time I was delirious. I remember at which liquid condition and con with a decrease of temperature.

SMALLEST OF MICROBES. Ormsby S. Mitchell, then at the begin-ning of what would undoubtedly have last, and hearing my nurse say I might stop taking the monster quinine pills with which they had been dosing me.
I remember, too, how strong and well
I felt, and how sorely tempted I was to trymen, for he was the first America to do anything of consequence in mak-ing the science of astronomy a popular subject with the masses. He began his comrade who got out of bed and smoked work in 1841, and died of yellow fever | a cigar suffered a relapse and died in six nours. As it was, I had a slight relapse; and I was not told I had yellow fever, low jack claimed another man eminent nor that my father had been carried for his work in the popularization of as-

> been broken to me earlier." Few persons who have had the discase once have been known to suffer ics than astronomy; and, curiously a second attack, but such cases are reported occasionally. There is little probability that yellow fever will ever again accurge any great part of the United States; and it is to be hoped that fever camps, such as were established near Jacksonville, Fla., in 1888. and shotgun quarantines against the scourge, will soon be naught but meniories in the United States.

Yellow jack identification at Ocean Springs, Miss., the other day was much later in the season than the beginning of the fever's visitation in 1888; too late, indeed, for any such frightful epidemic as then followed. And yet, so vivid are the memories of that dreadful time in the minds of the people, north as well as south, that the bare announcement was enough to set the whole country

a-shuddering—and no wonder.
For when yellow jack gets his clutches on a man the chances are decidedly against him. Doctors have studied and theorized and experimented almost without end and practically without result. It is true that saner sanitary practice has made it possible measurably to control the spread of the disease, and generally to keep it from gaining a foothold outside the tropics. but the secrets of its prevention, as smallpox may be prevented by vac-cination, and its successful treatment. as most other fevers and acute disorders may be treated, have yet to be dis-

It is generally conceded that, in the nature of things, the specific cause of yellow fever must be a bacillus, or, as New York's own und only "Chuek" Connors would put it, a "bug" of some sort. Some high authorities, indeed, among them being Dr. Gibler, who operates the Pasteur institute in New York, and Dr. Freire, who passed through the Florida epidemic of 1888, assert that the yellow fever germ has actually been located, and that practically complete control of the disease is only a question of time and experi-

A STRANGE CASE.

A Philadelphia Man Who Goes Eight Weeks Without Sleep.

Insomnia is not generally considered a crime for which a man can be put be hind the bars, but, if a correspondent of Magistrate Ladner may be believed, that is the only offense which has caused his commitment to the house of correction several times. Writing recently to the kind-hearted magistrate. this victim of circumstances says: "I

am subject to insomnia, wakefulness. There are times when I do not sleep for six, seven and eight weeks, not/even five minutes in all that time. What am I to do? I become sleepy while liceman comes along. He takes me to a station house and charges me with being drunk, when, truly, I never touched a mouthful of liquor. Time and again I have been so charged, and time and again I have been punished for that over which I have no control It would be a blessing to me could I have a drink of whisky before getting into such a stupor. It would revive me, and ten chances to one I would go to my bed instead of the station house. thence to prison, or, on two occasions,

feet above sea level.

The first yellow fiver epidemic in the United States occurred in 1793, but was mostly confined to Philadelphia, where it was brought from some tiopical port. At that time the City of liretherly Love had a population of only 40,000. But 4,041 persons, or one in every ten, were taken down with the fever, and 3,435. America from the fifth always brought. was he said: 'I will discharge you You can't sleep. How long do you go without sleep? 'Sometimes eight weeks.' Magistrate—'Don't you sleep even an hour in all those eight weeks? 'No, sir.' Magistrate—'You should not be punished for what you cannot prevent. You can go.' If anyone has a vent. You can go. It anyone has a remedy for insomnia that lasts eight weeks without a break Magistrate Ladner will be glad to impart it to this unfortunate.—Philadelphia Record.

State Floral Emblems

Iowa recently adopted the wild rose as its floral emblem. New York, some time ago, adopted the cultivated cose. Michigan followed by adopting the apple blossom. Delaware selected the peach blossom, and Nebraska the golden-rod.

The adoption of these emblems was doubtless prompted in each case solely by sentiment, but their use, nevertheess, will tend to develop a feeling among the people closely akin to patriotism. While probably no other amblems are needed than the flags and seals already provided, the state flower will add another tie that binds, and will appeal to the hearts of those who are interested in the welfare of their state and nation.—Military Gazette, Chicago.

Measuring Low Temperatures.

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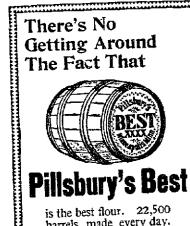
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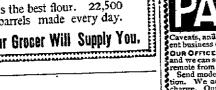
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Our village school opened last Monday, with Mr. Bone, of Bethany, as principal and Miss Eva Brandon, of Lovington,

The ice oream social given last Satur day night by the ladies of the M E. oburch, was a success.

On account of the greenness of the broom corn, work for the week has been discontinued on the field adjoining tows, belonging to M. Vansickle.

Mrs. Brown, of Terre Haute, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. William Wimings. David Donor, of Dalton, was on cur

streets last Friday. J. W. Acorn was a Decatur visitor Wed-

W. H. Diokson is attending grand lodge, I. O. G. T., at Springfield this week. E. W. Redfern has charge of his school during his absence.

Mr. Hodge is now located in our village and takes his place in line with the busi-ness men of our city as a grain merchant

and dealer in lumber, etc. B. F. Parker now occupies his own property in the north part of town.

O. P. Dickson has returned from Iowa, where he has been during the harvesting The cry of "hard times" is no longer heard, but that of "dry weather."

Dalton City.

Hon D. P. Keller, of Moweaqua, was business visitor here ket week.

Billie Wilson, the horse buyer from Maon, was on our streets last week. Alvey Armstrong, from Bethany,

bus ness visitor here last week. Russel Meads, the tinner from Bath-any, was on our streets last week.

Ed Spurling left for Decatur last week

Mrs. May A. Duggan and daughter, Miss Agnes, vvisited Mr. and Mrs. Law-rence Welsh last week, near Macon. Mrs. Charley Hines and family are visiting friends in Jacksonville for the

When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore, take a dose of Foley's when the sore once relieved, a feeling and parts affected will be experienced and you will say: "It feels so good. IT HITS THE SPOT." It is guaranteed. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. coming month.

Ferre Brown left for Palestine, Ill., H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. Tueday, September 14, on business. Dalsy Ferre left for Knex college Mon-British peerage. He has been twice mar

day, September 13. Greenfield & Cole sold their grain business to the Grain Dealers association here. W. C. Greenfield's little girl lavery sick. School commenced here Monday, Sep-

Miss Topsy Ferre is here visiting Mr Geo. Ferre and family.

People suffering from Kidney Dis-eases feel a gradual but steady loss of strength and vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure, a guaranteed preparation. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. A great many young folks from bere at-tended the dance at Macon and had a nice time Saturday evening Father O'Rourke and Tomy Sheeby vis-

ted Decatur Sunday Mrs. Bud McClure left for her home in

James Ruder is visiting in Decatur this

Always ineist on getting Foley's Honey and Tar, as it is positively, absolutely and urqualifiedly the best cough medicine. Accept no substitute. H. W. Mrs. J. R. Lucas, who has been visiting her father, W. D. C. McClure, left for her home in St. Louis Monday.

Pat Griffin served an attachment on 240 bushels of corn on Greenfield & Cole. The trial will be held Friday, September 17. was raised in McMinn county, Tennersce, Arthur Bradley returned home from Shelbyville Sunday morning, where he has been attending the fair this season

W. D. C. McClure is very stok. He is troubled with a cancer.

No family should be without Foley's Colic Cure, for all bowel complaints. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. The grandest platform dance of the sea Shirt Waist Sets.

The granuest platform dance of the season was given by Miss Mary Kate and Agness Duggan at their home last Thursday evening. There was at least 150 people enjoyed a pleasant time. boucle reefers for cibidren, the various models costing from \$3 to \$8.

Eider Ogle's meeting continues with unabated interest. Eight conversions

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Charles T. McElroy went to Mount Puaski Monday to take charge of Mr.

Found.

At Beil's or Krone's drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weakings. It is Foley's Kidney Cure. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. and other almost persuaded. laski Monday to Henrichson's paper there. Misses Lucie Hall and Cora Buckles Parker, of Kenney, cut two of his toes off

left Saturday night for Hamilton college, with a spade the other day, pushing the Mrs. Marcha Humphrey is at Indian-apolis for further treatment of cancer. spade in the ground with his other foot.

Will Porter, of Bourbon, is hers. Born, To Mr. and Mrs. Neal, on Monday, a darghter.

I. N. Vance, of Springfield, who has been working on J. W. Hawk's house, re-

turned home Saturday night. Elder Rogers, of Illiopolis, attend Elder Ogle's meeting Monday night.

On Friday, September 10, the relatives and friends of Mr and Mrs J. H. Cham and friends of Mr and Mrs J. H. Cham berlain gave them a surprise dinner hefore their departure for their new home at Farmer City. A large crowd was present and two bountifully spread tables were laden with tempting viands. Among those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Willard, of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Ford of Illiopolis. Mr. Chamborlain's family will be greatly missed in social circles and they carry with them the best wishes of a large number of our citizens.

citizens. A. L. Geppord, of Findlay, was here this week with his bride, on his way home from Oklahoma, where he was recetniy married.

Rev. Carter preached his farewell ser-mon here Sunday. His congregation has a high regard for him and many tears were shed at thought of their probable separation.

Mrs. Wilson Willouby is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cole. of Mt. Auburn, spent Sunday with Felix Beschle and

Miss Verna Brooks spent a few days ast week in Decatur. Harry Montgomery left Monday for Delafield, Wie., where he will attend the military school for the ensuing term.

Ed Hill and wife, of Beardsdale spent Sunday with James Ammelk. Miss Ella Middleton, of Moweaqua spent a few days last week with Mrs. H. R. Woodcock.

Mrs. Waiter Walker. of Assumption, spent Monday with J. P. Van Gundy and wife. Miss Edith Gardner is visiting Walter

Miss Addie Griffith spent a few days last week in Decatur. Miss Leona Cazalet spent a few days

John Goltra and wife, of Dalton City, were the guests of I. W. Higgins and wife

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Mellott, Jerusalem,

Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Thornberry and daughter, of Bellaire, Ohio, are the guests of Robert Patterson and wife this

Mrs. H. C. Motogomery is visiting rela

Miss Ola Boggs left Monday for Gales ourg, where she will attend school this

Miss Ethel Combs is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Armstrong, of Niantic, this work.

Friday morning, Mrs. Elizabeth Elerich was found dead at her home in the south

Duckle he took a horse and buggy and went after him and brought him to this city, where a warrant was sworn out for him. The trial was held this morning before Squire Daggett and he was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

Under the able management of A. J. Cook the High school building is rapidly nearing completion.

The Macon Record will contain quite an entensive write up of this city this

Lyman Benton, of Forsyth, spent Sun day with A. R. Barber and family.

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About dark Tuesday evening a tramp and in 500 of the principal cities of Europe and America, to which has been added many About dark Tuesday evening a tramp went to the home of Clinton Dunkie and asked for something to eat, threatening to kill the family if they did not give it to him. As soon as the news reached Mr. Dunkie he took a horse and buggy and years after him and brought him to this

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### PITH AND POI

-Philanthropist-"What mediate cause of your forman?" The Good Man-

heart dropped me."-Bos cript.
Socially Injurious.—He said just what they though do a lot of harm, wouldn't Well, it would reduce about nine-tenths."-Puck

-Quite Different.—Penel did he send you for a we ent?" Pauline-"Cut gle lope-"Ah, tableware, I Pauline-"No-a necklace -His Complaint,-Priso er (to couviet) - Have yo plaint to make?" Convict be better satisfied if I w

up."-Philadelphia North A -Catching the Idea.wants a design for a hund ment," remarked the artist ly. "What is it to be?" was that he wanted somet priate. I guess I'll fix him of a wash drawing."-Wash -Association of Idea

chanced that the pilgrim as habitant of the town throa journeyed. "It seems to m the pilgrim, "that there many muddy crossings in "Mere illusion, old man," inhabitant. "You get that from so many of our las knickerbockers or short troit Journal.

-Enterprise Rewarded dashed breathless into a office. "Is the guvinor in that do you want?" "N myself; most partikler.' can't; he's engaged." "M immejit; most partikler." importunity got him in. what do you want?" "I orffice boy, sir?" "You imp young rascal! No! We'
"No, you am't, sir; he's
over in Cheapside." Boy Tit-Bits.

### WOMEN WANT NEV They Have Been Organis

to Secure Their B "The Japanese ladies a ganizing at last. They are strong movement to amen ese laws so that a Japane that supports another we his legal wife can be arrest are now one sided, yes, ve sided. The Japanese bust as many wives as he plea plar wives, you underst law lets the husband in wife. Otherwise, he is gui.

This announcement independence in the lur wives and maidens the kissed came from S. Kisl torney of Tokio. Mr. Kish ticed some time in his owr to venture forth into we see how it was possible: make an honest sliving and America. The study cate problem detained 2 weeks in San Francisco. in Milwaukce and some w yro. He has now arrived here he will enter the la of the Great Northern re mai a several months.

will proceed to Europe.

"Fo merly," continued white-t nothed law pilgra say, up 4 0 25 year a great tleman o and have as n wives as h e wished. He proud of the m and shows lie. Now sent ment has s he keeps them hid away thought very in merni to in public. Yet hes innot law. But this exce than men is likely to be don There is a commission 18 civil code. That code is Code Nanoleon, not on the mon law. Our commerci ever, is modeled after the

code of Germany. "But it is not in d for w less than mon in Japan. that she is equal to man motin quantity. That is to press it. And she is always different - Yan is strong Woman is weak, gont timid. She must attend Man must go out into ! government, into war 1 occupations as you do her ple, the men ride meyeles much more now than be woman-never A wome bicycle! It would be too She should be at horse, or self upon the tree's

Her costume? Oh, it

ways Japanese. Years ten years, one of our call they would help Japanese. sunding our people to de peans. Even the court I wear foreign dres es B went down. The wome their native costumer. ese lady most always very costume. We find that are not convenient, as a about on the fleors of ea But the Japanese men . European clothes very m cities, that is, for busing ment offices and in the pr when the men get home these clothes and put of Japanese robes. Then wable,"-St. Paul Pioneer.

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### PITH AND POINT.

-Philanthropist-"What was the immediate cause of your fall, my good man?" The Good Man—"My sweet-leart dropped me."—Boston Trans-

Socially Injurious.—Ke—"If people" said just what they thought, it would 20 a lot of harm, wouldn't it?" She-Well, it would reduce conversation about nine-tenths."—Puck.

-Quite Different-Penelope-"What c.d he send you for a wedding pres-ert?" Pauline—"Cut glass." Pene-lope—"Ah, tableware, I suppose?" Pauline—"No—a necklace."—Truth.

-His Complaint Prisoner Reform-er (to convict)—"Have you any com-ciaint to make?" Convict—"Well, I'd be better satisfied if I wasn't locked ap."—Philadelphia North American.
—Catching the Idea.—That man monts a design for a laundry advertise-

ment," remarked the artist thoughtful-iy. "What is it to be?" "All he said was that he wanted something appro-Pr.atc. I guess I'll fix him up some sort

of a wash drawing."—Washington Star.
—Association of Ideas.—Now it chanced that the pligrim accosted an inhabitant of the town through which he journeyed. "It seems to me," remarked the pilgrim, "that there are a great many muddy crossings in your town." "Mere illusion, old man," answered the inhabitant. "You get that impression from so many of our ladies wearing knickerbockers or short skirts."—De-

hnickerbockers or short skirts."—Detroit Journal.

—Enterprise Rewarded.—Small boy dashed breathless into a merchant's office. "Is the guv'nor in?" "Yes; what do you want?" "Must see him myself; most partikler." "But you can't; he's engaged." "Must see him immejit; most partikler." The boy's immediately, furry up; must be sold by sold by what do you want?" "D'yer want a crifice boy, sir?" "You impudent young young rascal! No! We've got one."

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HOR SALE—5 acres of land, good 4-room new house of land, g young rascal! No! We've got one."
"No, you ain't, sir; he's just bin run
over in Cheapside." Boy engaged.—

### WOMEN WANT NEW LAWS.

They Have Been Organizing in Japan
to Secure Their Rights.
"The Japanese ladies are really organizing at last. They are beginning a strong movement to amend the Japanese LOAN BROKER.

LOAN BROKER ese laws so that a Japanese gentleman that supports another woman besides his legal wife can be arrested. The laws are now one sided, yes, very much onesided. The Japanese husband can have as many wives as he pleases. Not regular wives, you understand. Japan law lets the husband marry only one OANS...

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press it. And she is always by nature different. Man is strong, rough, brave, woman is weak, gentle, gracious, tukl. She must attend to her home. Man must go out into business, into government, into war. We do not mix coupations as you do here. For example, the men ride bicycles in Japan very lie, the men ride bicycles in Japan very much more news then before. But the much more now than before. But the woman-never. A woman astride of a beyele' It would be too rude, too bold. Sile should be at home, not showing her-

self upon the streets. Her costume? Oh, it is almost always dapanese. Years ago, perhaps to evers, one of our cabinets thought ther would help Japan abroad by perding our people to dress like Euroi ans. Even the court ladies began to we reforeign dresses. But the cabinet tert down. The women took back t er native costumes. Now a Japan-Column. We find that your dresses are not convenient, as our women sit both on the floors of our little houses.

B t the Japanese men are using the E top can clothes very generally in our Lincoln bquaro.

Wanted in exchange for Vehicles and Bicycles. We will allow eash prices and trade merchandise on the same basis. J. G. STARR & SON, june 16 dff e.: . that is, for business in govern-

J. panese robes. Then we are comfortable "-St. Paul Pioneer Press.

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Buttermilk. Oce upon a time wheelmen and elwomen who were passing along a dusty road came upon a peasant "We should like," they said, "some

butermilk."

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Faver Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hads, Chilbleins, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For eale by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

### People's Column.

Advertisements o Forty words or loss may be inserted in this column at the rate of 23 cents per week, payable invariably in advance

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

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WANTED-Men to work in an agricultural implement factory, moulders, drillers, bench men, wood workers, painters, blacksmiths, &c. Apply to DEERE & MANSUR CO., Moline Illinois,—15d2t

WANTED-Trustworthy person to travel.
Salary \$750 and expenses. Reference.
Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The
Dominion Company, Chicago.

WANTED-A girl to do general housework.
Must furnish references; salary no object. Apply at No. 612 West Macon street.
9-d6\* WANTED—Paper tranging. With 25 years' experience I am prepared to give prompt attention to all orders from all parts of the city Prices reasonable and all work guaranteed. New Telephone 890. D. M. SMITH, West end Pugh street car line.

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PATENTS—Both home and foreign, on easiest and quickest terms, \$1,000 to \$25,000 to loan on good security; 59,6 and 7 per cent. All kinds of legal husiness promptly and accurately attended to. Callon me. A. E. PARK, of the lirm of Bunn & Park, 152 E. Frairie street.

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Homes Wanted

en the men get home they take off for three children, two grainges 4 and 11 years e clothes and put on the good old grainese robes. Then we are comfort Given, 1160 East Lincoln Ave., or L. L. Burrows. 9-d6

Elegant Residence Property for Sale. The Otto E. Curtis property on West Decaturative, one of the handsomest residence properties in the city, will be sold at a bargain. House has sixteen rooms. Lot 150x292 feet. Call and see the property. Apply to OUTTEN & ROBY. sop 9-diff

"BECOME A REAL WOMAN" buttermilk."

"Ha, ha," said the peasant. "The butter don't give milk. Ha, ha!"

This fable teaches that some people will sacrifice even the noble promptings of charity in order to be funny."—Detroit Journal.

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### Legal Hdvs.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, and the Circuit Macon County. So Court.

Harriet Howell et al., Complainants, vs. Albert T. Summers et al., Defendants—In Chancery, No. 16,291.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, State of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June Term of said court. A. D. 1897, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Monday, September 20th, A. D. 1897, at 20'clock p.m. of said day, at the north door

Monday, September 20th, A. D. 1897, at 20'clock p.m. of said day, at the north door of the court house on East Wood street, in the City of Decatur, in said county, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest and beat bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the real estate in said decree ordered to be soid, being described as follows, to wit. Commencing at the intersection of the north into of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 14, township is north, range 2 east of the 3d P. M. with the filtinois Gentral Railroad right of way, thence west 7.5c chains, thence south 18.70 chains, to the Illinois Gentral Railroad right of way, thence northessterly along said right of way to the place of beginning, excepting public highways, said premises being known as Lot 8 in west half of southwest quarter of said section 14, containing 5.19 acres, more or less, excepting that portion of said tract described as follows:

Reginning at the intersection of the west line of said tract with the south line of Wood street, thence east 200 feet, thence south 120 feet, thence west 200 feet, thence or the place of beginning.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 28th day of

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August, A. D. 1897. JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery. Outten & Roby, Complainant's Solicitors.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS. SS In the MACON COUNTY. In the MACON COUNTY.

Murillo Glasgow, Complainant, vs. Martha J. Mathews et. al., Defendants.—In Chamcery, No. 16,229.

Fublic notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June term of said court, A. D. 1807, I, James J. Find, master in chancery of said court, will on

chancery of said co.rt. willon
Thursday, the 16th day of September,
A. D. 1897,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north deor
of the court house on East Wood street, in the
City of Decautr, in said county, offer for sale at
public vendue to the highest and best bidder for
cash in hand, subject to redemption, according
to law, the real estate in said decree ordered to
be sold; being described as tollows, to wit: Los
live (5) in block six (6) and seven (7) in the northcast quarter of the north-cast quarter of section
ten (10) in township sixteen (16) north, range
two (2) east of the ad principal meridian.
Dated at Decautr, Hilnois, this toth day of
August A. D. 1897.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.
Leforgee & Lee, Complainant's Solicitors.

### CHANCERY NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | BS

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88

MAGON COUNTY, to the October Term,
In the Circuit Court, to the October Term,
A. D. 1897.

W. B. Tyler vs. Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, A. T. Risley, J. W. Brawn, Robert Elliott, Carry, Elliott, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell, John Mitchell, George A. Melhori and Hattle A. Melhori — Foreclosure: No. 16028.
A. Midavir that Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell and John Mitchell, part of the defendants in the above entitled cause, are nonresidentegof this state, and that the place of residence of J. W. Brawn, one of the defendants in the above entitled cause is unknown, having been sided in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given the said Samuel W. Stookey, James M. Stookey, James M. Btookey, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell, John Mitchell and J. W. Brawn, that the above named complainant filed his bill of compisition in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said is still pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of the said court against the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell, John Mitchell and J. W. Brawn, kapleaded with other defendants, returnable on the first day of the next October term of said court, to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur in said Macon county, on the first Monday in the month of October, A. D. Unices you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida. W. Blookey, Ida. Unices you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida. W. Blookey, Ida. Unices you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida. W. Blookey, Ida. Unices you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida. W. Blookey, Ida. Unices you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida. W. Blookey, Ida. W. B

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATEOFILLINOIS, | sst |
MACON COUNTY, | sst |
In the Circuit Court to the October Term, |
A. D. 1887.

Elizabeth Geiger vs. William J. Geiger, |
Affidavit of the non-residence of the defendant in said cause having been filed in the office of the deriv of said court, notice is hereby given to you that unless you, the said William J. Geiger shall be and appear at the next term of said court on the first day thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said courty, our hele first Monday of October, A. D. 1897, and plead, answer or denur to the bill of complaint now ob file in said cause, caid bill and the mathers therein alleged will be held confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

W. H. Elsack, Sol. for Complainant.

Sept. 1, 1897-day

### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88.
MAGON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court to the October Term,
A. D. 1897.
A270B Goodale vs. Jennie Goodale.

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Altidavit of the non residence of the defendant in the said cause having been filed in the office of the cierit of said court. Better is the said court notice is hereby given to you, that unless you the said Jennie Goodale, shall be and appear at the next term of said court on the first day thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur in said county, on the first Menday of October A. D. 1837, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint now on file in said cause, said bill and the matter therein alteged will be beld confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

D. L. FOSTER, Cierk.

Marshall C. Griffin, Sol. for Com.

August 32, 1897-04W

### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, \$88,
MACON COUNTY, \$88,
In the Circuit Court of the October Term, A. D. 1897.
Valentine Reinheimer vs. Anna Reinheimer—

Valentine Reinheimer vs. Anna keinneimet—Divorce.

Affldavit of the non-residence of the defendant in said cause having been filed in the office of the clerk of shid court, notice is hereby given to you that unless you the said Anna Reinheimer, shall be and appear at the next term of said court on the first day thereot, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1897, and very plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint was now on file in said couse, said bill and the matters therein alleged will be held confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

D. L. FOSTER, Clerk.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, 188

MACON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court to the October Term,
A.D. 1897.

Patter John Masbarg vs. Mary Jane Masbarg—
Bill for Divorce
Affidavit of the non residence of Mary Jane
Masbarg, the above named defendant, having
been filed in the office of the clork of said dracult court of Macon county, notice is hereby
given to the said Mary Jane Masbarg that the
above named compisit and filed his bill of complaint in said court, or the chancery side
thereof, on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1897
and that a summons thereof, on issued out of
said court against said defends, t returnable on
the 1st Monday of October, A. D. 1897, 3s is by
law required. Pfrical Book Binding and Blank Book Manufacturing. 127 South Water street, Deca-tur, II. Magazines bound, names stamped in gold on books. HARRY K. MIDKIFF. 147 South Water St.
Telephone—Old 329, New 78, Residence, Old 30
COLLECTIONS A SPECIALTY. GEO. P. HARDY,

the ist Monday of October, A. 1. 1897, as is by law required.

Now unless you the said Mary Jane Masbarg shall personally be and appear before said circuit court of Mason county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held in Decatur in said county on the ist Monday of October, A. D. 1807, and plead, nawer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complains the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Outten & Roby, Complainant's Solicitors.

Sept. 3 day ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } 48
MACON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court of the October Term, A. D.

1897. Sylvia M. Fulk vs. James A. Fulk, Divorce. Sylvia M, Fulk vs. James A. Fulk, Divorce.
Affidavit of the non-residence of the defendant in said cause having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to you that unless you, the said James A. Fulk, shall be and appear at the next term of said court on the first day thereof, to be held at the court bouse in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1837, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint sow on file in said cause, said bill and the matters therein alleged will be held confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

D. L. FOSTER, Clerk, aug 25-d4w

### SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

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Public notice is hereby given that the county court in the country of Macon and state of Illinois has rendered judgment for a special tax upon the property contiguous to and benefited by the following local improvement, to-wit:

The construction of a sewer commencing at the north end of the present sewer in the alley between North Morgan and North Broadway streets, running thence north to Incoln Avenue, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the unigment on the in my office. That a warrant for the collection of such special tax is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts assessed at the collector's office, being the city comptroller's office, in the court house in said city, within thirty days from date hereof.

Dated this 20th day of August, A. D. 1807.

City Comptroller and Collector, aug 20-d30t

ONE FARE for the PLUS \$2.

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The construction of a sewer commencing at Jasper street sewer on Jasper streetin the alley running east and west between Orchard and Condit streets, thence running east to Woodford street, as will more fully appear from the cortified copy of the judgment on lie in my office. That is warrant for the collection of such special tax is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and way the amounts assessed at the collectors office, being the city comptroller's office, in the court house in said city, within thirty days from date hereof.

Dated this 25th day of August A. D. 1807.

H. F. ROBBINS.

City Comptroller and Collector.

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Estate of John C. Pair, Deceased.

The undersignical traving been appointed a linistrator of the extete of John C. Bair, late of the county of Maton and state of Hilmots, deceased, hereby gives Defice that he will appear before the county out of Macon county, at the count bouse in Decatur, at this October form, of the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said. State are notified and requested to attook for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All presons indebted to said estate are repleated to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1887.

OBARLES W. BAIR, Administrator.

### Administrator's Notice.

Estate of W. R. Whitaker, Deceased.

The undersigned laving been appointed administrator of the estate of W. R. Whitaker, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decaur, at the November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified an ir requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 2ad day of August, 1897.

H. R. WOODCOCK, Administrator, August-day.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Frederick Jostes Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Frederick Jostes, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the vent house in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. quested to make manufactured dersigned.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1897.

WILLIAM T. LINDLEY,
Administrator.

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The Heumatism Cured.—For the past nine to years I have suffered intensety with rheumatism and neuraligis. The last attack was very severe. After suffering for some time I was induced by a trient to take terrodanic Capaules without cessation: To my surprise they cured me in a short time. I recommend them to aim to suffer with Thematism are neuraligis.

H. O. ROBEN, Architect, Denatur, Ill.

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Administrator's Notice.

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Estate of Leonard Markus, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed ad ministrator of the estate of Leonard Markus, late of the County of Macon, and State of Illihots, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indicated to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 14th day of "estamber, 1987.

B. I. STERRETT

I. D. STINE.

HERMAN SPIES.

### R. R. TIME TABLES.

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### WABASH EXCURSIONS.

\*Daily, †Except Bunday, ‡Sunday only

Sunday Excursion to Peoria.

Sunday, Sept. 19, the Peoria, Decatur & Rvans. ville Railroad will run two trains, train No. 36 will teave Union depot at 7:30 a.m., also a special leaving Union depot at 8:30. This will give all who want to go ample room and time, to get ready. Do not miss it for there will be special programs at all parks, which will be worth your rip. Every one that is looking for pleasure and a day for recreation should not miss this excursion. Homember two trains, 7:30 and 8:30. Arriving at Feoria 10:55 and 11:30 a.m.; leaving Peoria at 7:65 b. The fuller information call on T. Penlwell, W. L. Smith, H. B. Dyer, or write 1A. C. Palmer, C. T. A., Evansville Ind. For full information regarding dates of sale limits of tickets, rates, maps and descriptive advertising matter, write or apply to C. A Pollock, passenger and licket agent Wabsen rat. road, Docatur, Itis.

I., D. & W. Railway Excursions. Excursion thesets at greatly feduced rates to the following meetings:

SEALED PROPOSALS

wife be received at the office of R. J. Hodgson, architect, Mathom, Ill., until 12 o'clock nown of Sept. 13th, 1897, for the excavation, foundation, first floor joists, sub-floors to first story and the cellar wholes frames for the Odd Fellows Office of How Conf. Folks' Hence to be erected at Mathom, Ill., for the Grand Lodge of the state of Illinois, of the 'Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Plans can also be seen at offices of W. E. Jewell, Banville, Ill., Grand Secretary, J. R. Miller, Springfield, Ill., C. M. Lyte. Decatur, Ill., and C. F. Mansfield, Munsheld Ill. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. All bidders will be supplied with blank forms of proposals which must be filed properly else they will not be considered. All tenders must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of three hundred dollars to Insure the execution of the contract and bond by whomever it may be awarded to. Said checks will be made payable to E. J. Hodgson, architect, or C. F. Mansfield. for the board of trustees of said home. The successful bilder will be required to trovide satisfactory bond in the sum of two thousand dollars to insure the full and faithful performance of the contract within the time specified.

E. J. HODGSON, Architect.

The plans and specifications can be seen at Elbrman's store in Decatar. Special rates to Bigothingdale Glens every day for plente parties. Bitmmer tickets now on sale to the mountains Summer lickets now on sale to the mountains and to the heasilore.

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Tennessee Centennial and International Raposition, Nashville, Tonn. May 1st to Oct sist.
Columbus, Ohio, account Catholic Henevolent Spects of the U.S. One fare round trip. Self Sept. 16th, 17th and 18th; good returning till Sept. 25th.

Louisville, Ky., account Home Visitors' Excursion. Tickets sold for train leaving Pecatur at 10.45 p. m. of Sept. 18th, good returning for 30 days. Only \$6 round trip.

Cincannat, Hamilton, Dayton and Columbus, Cincannat, Hamilton, Dayton and Columbus.

at 10.45 p. m. of Sept. 13th, good returning for 30 days. Only \$5 round trip.

Cincinnati, Hamilton, Dayton and Columbus, account Home Visitors Excursion. Tickets sold for any train of Sept. 21st, good for 30 days. Only \$5.00.

Columbus, O., account Union Veteran Legion National Hicampment. Sell Sept. 21 and 22, good returning till Sept. 27. 35.90 round trip.

Indianapolis, account Indiana State Fair, on Tuesday and Wedneeday, Sept. 14th and 15th, at the extremely low rate of \$2.00 round trip. This includes admission ticket to the fair. Tickets good returning till Sept. 15th. Special attraction Wedneeday, match race between Star Pointer (1:50%), champion of the worls, and Joe Fatchen.

Camargo, Ill., account Douglas county fair. \$1.30 round trip; tickets sold Sept. 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th good returning till Sept. 1th.

For full information regarding dates of sale. For full information regarding dates of sale, limits of tickets, rate, maps and descriptive advertising matter write or apply to K. Harwood, Seneral Agent, or U. A. Pollock, Ticket Agent, .. D. & W. Rakroad, Decatur, Hi.

Sunday Train Service.

On Sunday, May 30th, the Peorla, Decatur & Evanaville Railway will resume the Sunday trains. Train No. 49 going north will pass Decatur at 8:30 p. m. Train No. 41 going south without at 1:10 a.m.

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To overcome the extreme heat we will for 10 days, or until Sept. 25th, sell the best \$3.50 Men's Shoes at......\$3.00 ago for the south, died on Wednesday at Geo. E. Keith's Tan Storm Calf, with heavy soles for winter,

Geo. E. Keith's Calf Shoes, Welts, Domestic Calf, high grade, worth \$3.50; in this sale at.....\$3.00

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In Women's Shoes we will sell during this sale a Fine Kid never fails. Sold by Bell, the druggist woodford, has completed the Shoe, lace or button, coin toe, patent leather tip, special \$2.50 shoe; in this sale at......\$2.00

We Guarantee Good, Honest Shoe Value, followed by Sewing society. All ladies dates and entertainments to the Guarantee Good, Honest Shoe Value, of the congregation are requested to be the course, are as follows: no matter what the price!

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## School Hose!

I have just received my new Hosiery for fall and can offer you some good bargains. Try my BOYS' LEATHER STOCKINGS-nothing can equal them. Can give you good Bicycle Hose for as low as 10c pair.

Special Advance Offer!

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or Water Bugs?

Then come in and get a box of Mexican Roach Food. We guarantee it to kill all the Roaches and Water Bugs in your house. Money refunded if it doesn't do it.

KING'S DRUG STORE,

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

LOCAL NEWS.

Trunks, 15 cents. Davis' 10 cent del Smoke the Litle J., 5-cent cigar, made

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of Go to Spencer & Lehman's for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps, etc.—

J19d-2mos. Vive Cameras, Opera House drug store. Irwin's Rock balsam is a reliable cough

The regular meeting of Couer de Leon lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be held to-

Very stylish, indeed, is the fiy-front jacket of kersey, with scalloped collar, fancy stitching and rhadame lining.

A number of Decatur police officers will go to Springfield the latter part of the month to assist in preserving order at the state fair.

It was slightly cooler today, the temperature being about five degrees lower at 10 a. m. than it was at the same time yes-There has been a good breeze to-

pleasant enough, but the heat of the days are something to talk about for years to rome. Corn is suffering generally from

The musical division of the Woman's olub will meet at the club rooms on Fri-tent reluctantly. The big fun was at day afternoon at 2:30. All members are requested to be present as this is the first

meeting of the year. committee and the board of health held a manner, and finally had to quit from meeting this forencon in the Sixth ward sheer exhaustion. Roars of laughter to pass on the codition of a crossing and followed each attempt of the young men some outhouses in that neighborhood.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been used for forty years and has never yet failed to cure a case of and dogs was a very pleasing goodnight diarrhoea, dysentery, or summer complaint in any of its various forms. Sold of the little folks were given an opportunby Bell, the druggist.

A. W. Biddle, who left Macon 10 years He was at one time in the drug business served as postmaster at Macon

One to five applications of Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of Itching Piles there ever was. Can you

pony show last night and as a mark of Washington, will lecture on "Brains." special courtesy to the chief executive of the city the proprietor gave his honor a ride uptown in state in one of the pony carts Ben accepted the courtesy in the spirit in which it was offered and arrived safely at the St Nicholas in good time. Mayor Taylor says the show is one of the best he ever saw, thus voicing the verdict of all the children and the big

Entertained Friends.

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bullard, last evening Miss Neta Bullard entertained a few of her friends The guests passed the evening Called Meeting of the Executive Com playing eards The affair was in honor of Mrs. Du, ger, of Chicago.

134 East Prairie street, and destring to and settle at once, either at the old stand or at H. Muelier Mfg. Co. All accounts made since June 6 are the property of De-Muelier Gun Co.-9-d1w

Cigara. Cigara.

Little Diana......160 for \$1.50

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that innes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from soffee. It does not cost over one fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. If cts. and 25 cts. per packago. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

W. C. JOHNS IS PRESIDENT. Spring Lake Hunting and Fishing Club Buy the Grounds-Club Wants \$15,000 to Square Up.

club held at the club house near Pekin this week those elected directors were: I. H. Fahrenstock of Peoris, W. P. Ojams of Terre Haute, John Fizgerald of O. Spring of Peoria, George W. Meyer and W. C. Johns of Decatur. Later W. press the desire that we may follow the C. Johns of Decatur was elected president example he has set before us and that our and John Fitzgerald of Pekin secretary days be like bis." and treasurer.

It is the purpose of the club to purchase the fishing and hunting grounds, so that complete control of the property can be secured. To this end it will be necessary to raise \$15,000 from among the stock holders, and they will be called upon to meet the assessments that will be levied. An address setting forth the plans and purposes of the membarship will be issued Fig Syrup 35 cents a bottle at Irwin's in a few days, and everybody will be ests. Those who do not care to stay in little business. The different commitwill not respond, but there are many gentlemen, perhaps a dozen in Decatur, who purpose staying with the club and be one of the most valuable hunting and the circuit court, it appearing that at become part owners of what in time will fishing grounds in the country. It is said some of the restaurants meals can be had that not more than forty or fifty men will meet all of the assessments. All of the debts of the club will be paid in full and title to all of the ground will be obtained. Eventually Decatur, Bloomington, Peoria, Pekin and Terre Haute gentlemen will own the grounds.

> THE DOG AND PONY SHOW. a Large Crowd at the Big Ten

the Entertainment. The Sipe, Dolman & Blake dog. pony and monkey show exhibited at the Wabash show grounds last night and yesterday afternoon, giving an entertainment that was thoroughly enjoyed by young and old. The music of the electric band whiled away the time until Mr. Blake appeared with his herds of ponies and troupes of dogs, all wonderfully well trained to do the bidding of the trainer, who had simply to utter a word or speak a name to get the animals in action to do his slightest bidding. The entertainment was varied and instructive, and at times highly amusing, especially for the young people, who at the close left the the last when two venturesome young men, one a darkey in an ulster, attempted to ride the trick mule. They were tossed The members of the street and alley about in what appeared to be a dangerous to get the best of the mule, who appeared to know his business from the jamp The revolving living picture of ponies ity to ride the pretty ponies while an at-

tendant led the ponies about among the crowd just as they used to do in the streets of Cairo. A matines performance was given this afternoon. The farewell performance will be given tonight. Be sure to go and take the children Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE.

rangements Made for the Attraction to be Brought Here by the Association.

The secretary of the Y. M. C. A., N. W. Regular monthly meeting of the Aid ments for the Y M. C. A. Star Course rociety of the First Presbyterian church entertainments this water. The course tomorrw (Friday), September 17, at 2:30, will include some fine attractions. The followed by Sewing society. All ladies dates and entertainments to be given in

Friday, November 12.-Dr Bristol, Mayor Taylor attended the dog and pastor of President McKinley's church at Thursday, December 9 .-- Ransome Entertainers.

Thursday, December 30 .-- Ollie Corbett Concert company.

Thursday, January 6 .- J. J. Lewis, illustrated leture on "The Passion Play" Monday, January 24 .- Boston Ladics' Sylophony Orchestra.

Tuesday. February 8,-Marshall P. Wilder Company.

Tuesday, February 15.-Lecture by Thomas Dixon.

THE OLD SETTLERS.

There was a called meeting of the executive committee of the Macon County Old Seitlers' association yesterday, to take ac Having disposed of our business at No. tion on the death of the late J. R Gorin and to elect a treasurer to fill the place we will ask all parties owing us to call made vacant by his death. James A. Wilson was chosen as treasurer and after that a committee of four was named to draft resolutions. President Woodcock named on this committee the following: Riram catur Gun Co. All previous to that date Ward, W. E Nelson, W. C Outten and belong to us. Please do not delay. H. T. A. Pritchett On motion the chair was added to the committee. The committee made the following report, which 

"Whereas, The angel of death spread his 5 for .10 wings o'er the blast and breathed in the Special prices to the trade. For sale face of our friend as he passed, and at a L. CHODAT'S NEWS HOESE. single bound be leaped from earth to heaven, bidding good night to this mundane sphere, he bid good morning in the realms of eternal light, therefore, be it

"Resolved. That in the exit of our friend and 'brother, J. R. Gorin, the Old Settlers' association has lost a zealous and genial companion. His smile which beamed on us here is now illuminating nois Central locomotive sparks.

beaven. Broad and liberal in his views, vold of ostentation, he always con the right of others to their own views, believing them to be honest in their opinion as he was in his. Thus another of the the Spring Lake Hunting and Fishing pioneers has passed from the stage of ac tion to eternal rest and while his place cannot be filled, we mourn the absence of one who has made bimself so useful in the drams of life. We do not forget that Pekin, C. M. Harlan of Bloomington, S. he is new receiving the reward of a good and faithful servant and we hereby ex-

> The committee decided to have these resolutions spread upon the records and that a copy be furnished to the family and to the press of the city.

> > THE COUTY BOARD.

Very Little Business Outside of Routine Matters Transacted—The Sheriff's Blil Went to Judiciary Committee.

Since yesterday forenoon the members of the county board of supervisors in quarterly session have transacted very tees, however, have been bard at work, getting matters in shape for action. Yesterday there was talk on the expense as to feeding jurymen during the sessions of at 20 cents each, while at other places the charges were 25 cents. The committee wanted instructions about the point, as to whether or not the jurymen should be taken to 25 cent places when the 20 cent meals could be had. There was a good deal of talk on the question. Supervisor Hollinger suggested that the board was in dretty small business quibbirg about five cents. The shoriff stated that usually the jury before starting away from their room to meals took a vote as to which place they would visit, thus in a measure taking the matter of preference out of the hands of the sheriff or his deputy. A motion was offered directing the sheriff not to take jurymen to places for meals where the charges exceeded 25 cents but it was defeated, and the whole matter was dropped.

This forencen a number of bills were ordered paid and there was talk over instructions given to the various commit tees by the chairman. The bill of Sheriff Nicholson for deputy hire and other expenses while the invading strikers were in Macon county was referred to the judiclary committee, as the point was suggested that there was a question of law to be considered before a vote could be taken on allowing the bill. The matter will probably come up for a final vote this

URIAH COPP ELECTED.

Attempt at Springfield to Defeat the Veter-

an Grand Chief Templar a Failure,\* At the annual meeting of the grand odge of Illinois Good Templars held this week a set effort was made to defeat Uiab Copp for re election to the office of grand worthy chief templar, a position he has filled with honor for a period of 25 years The opposition went so far as to wait on him with a set of resolutions asking him to decline to be a candidate, but the old gentleman allowed his name to be used and he was elected again.

At the session of the grand lodge for grand worthy chief Colonel N. A. Reed placed in nomination George F. Sears of Chloago and John Sobieski, nominated Urlah Copp. No comments were offered in the nominating speeches. The ballot showed Copp 76, and Sears 67. The Copp men cheered vigorously and the delegates proceeded to the election of the other officers. The following were chosen without much opposition. Grand Commander Robert H. Patton, Springfield; instead of eight. All of the men were grand vice templar, Miss Lillie Powers, glad to get the longer hours, because it Chicago; grand treasurer, Theodore Cole- | means more money at the end of the man, Decatur; grand superintendent month. The Wabash is behind in fitting iuvenile temperance, Mrs. Gilmore, Chl. up freight cars. It is not known how cago; grand marshal, N. W. Temple, of long the 10 hour rule will remain in force. Danville.

At the conclusion of the election, the officers were installed by Dr. D. H. Mann, past worthy grand templar. He was assisted by C. E. Anderson and Mary Mo-Wharton, installing marshals.

Three places were in the contest for the location next year. Peoria, Joliet and Danville. Danville won the contest. The meeting will be held the second Tues day in O-tober, 1898. The convention adjourned after a warm discussion of the report of the condition of the Illinois grand lodge.

Rev. Harry Willard's Marriage. Jacksonville Journal, September 15: Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer, six miles north of Jacksonville, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Jessie, to Rev. Harry Willard, of Argenta, Ill. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph Winterbottom, assisted by Rev. Anthus Willard, brother of the groom, and Rev. Wm. J. Rutledge. Philip Read played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bridal party advanced and the marriage took place under a beautiful canopy of vines and owers. About 75 guests witnessed the ceremony and at its conclusion a delightful banquet was served. The young couple will spend their honeymoon at the Methodist conference in Rushville. The bride is a young lady well known in Jacksonville and Morgan county, and is admired by all as a young woman of many virtues and accomplishments. Mr. Willard is a talented young minister, well thought of by those who know him best.

The annual meadow fires are causing destruction about Otto, being set by IIII.

### **366666666666666666666** PERSONAL MENTION. 3666666666666666666666666

-H. S. Gebhart went to Chicago today on business.

-Joe Elkin and family will reside at

Springfield. -Miss Addie Owens gone to Chicago

to visit friends. -Frank W. Haines and Silas Packard

are at Mackinaw fishing. .M. F. Metz is ill at his home on North Jackson street.

-William McClellan left today for Kansas City, on business. -Attorney McIntosh was at Niantic

esterday on legal business. -Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Crans have gone

to Rushville to attend the conference

-Bert Rundle has taken a position as clerk in Hamer & Brant's grocery store. -Mrs. J. H. Banta, who had an operation performed several days ago, is recover-

-Mrs. Frank Ross, who has been settonely ill at her home in Foreyth, is some

-Miss Lena Ullrich, who has been visiting friends in Peoria, has returned

-Fred Norman will depart in a few days for Dakota to look after his ranch -Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Ammann, who

have been visiting in the northwest, have aturned home. -Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farles bave re-

turned home from Storm Lake, lows, where they have been on a visit. -Miss Nita Bullard leaves next week

to attend the National Park Seminary in Washington, D. C. -John Swartz is home from Sandoval,

III., where he was called on account of the illness of his brother. -Miss Margaret Robinson, of Spring-

field, is in the city visiting the Misses Morgan, on West William street -W. C Pitner is at Jacksonvile to visit friends. He will attend the Methodist

conference at Rushville before his return. -Guy T. Conklin left Tuesday night for Spokane, Wash., where he will pros peat for a permanent location He will

be absent for a number of weeks -W. R. Scruggs and family, Miss Jessie Montgomery, Mrs. Chadsey and Miss Lillian Chadsey, have returned home from Forest Lawn, N. Y., where they have been spending the summer.

-Springfield Journal: C. C Boston has secured a position with the Early Breakfast Coffee company of St. Louis and will have his district beadquarters at

\_J. H. Chamberlain and family were in the city today. They were on their way from Niantic to Farmer City, where they will make their home. Mr. Chamberlain will engage in the elevator business at Farmer City as he did at Niantic.

-John G. Imboden arrived home this norning from Chicago. He had been there since last Saturday. He left his wife at the woman's hospital, where she underwent an operation for pelvic tumor, resting in what is considered by the surgeons to be a very favorable condition. If there are no serious complications Mrs. Imboden will steadily improve, and in the course of a few weeks will be able to return to her home.

Longer Hours for Work This morning 170 men in the freight rement at the Wabash car shops began work under the new rule which took effect today. It is 10 hours' work

Death of a Cousin. This morning John S. Campbell, the real estate dealer, received a letter inform ing him of the death of his cousin, A. B. Rider, aged 53 years, a miller and woulthy citizen, who passed away at his home at Fairfield, Ill., on Tuesday. The deceased leaves a widow and two children. The funeral will take place tomorrow, and this evening Mr. Campbell will leave for Fairfield to attend the services.

Births. Born, To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garver, of East William street, on September 16, a daughter.

Reuben Wise, of Weldon was laid up two weeks with a badly poisoned swollen arm, resulting from the bits of a rat upon his little finger.



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Only One Suspicious Ca ported at New Or

KANSAS CITY IS IN A

Colored\_Lad from Mississipp to be Afflicted Investige the Case To-Day.

New Orleans, La , Sept 17 report received this norning by of health is a suspicious case street. It is under enreful inv Gratifying reports continue to from all the sick but two Yesterd ty morning was more t there was only one suspiciou given the health authorities ment in the opinion that there

Now Orleans, La , Sept. Bronner, of Carrolator, died has not been declared yellow autopsy is to be held. Two ported. The son of Sporting ams, of the 1 times Democrat, named Rubinstein, who has the hospital.

Another Case, The third case of yellow f ported this afternoon, Lou is

At Ransas City Kanens City, Mo , Sept Anderson, colored, seven yes from Mississippi, was taken hospital last evening with oass of fever. Physicians at sny whether it is yellow feve

Brighter. Edwards, Miss., Sept 17 tion looks brighter. The of yellow fever cases official 19. Two new cases, Mrs. and D. Y. Rowell, Jr

WILL MEET IN DE The 1898 Convention of the

Bloomington, Ill , Sept annual convention of the 1 tion of Labor adjourned by selecting Decatur as the loc year's gathering and choosi ing officers' M. G. Palmer, Pcoria,

G. Hinman, Springfield,

P. F. Doyle, Chicago, secre Millard Lloyd, Bloomingto national convention at Na Reports of the sec showed total receipts for the expenditures, \$327 Rep convict fund were \$121.75 show that finances have fullest expectations and th

ost in affairs I be next executive com of F. G. Buck. Peorla. Bloomington, J. W. Buri J. R. Heimes, Spirngfield. Decatur, and J. A. Hoppi The constitution was re ber of minor particulars, preventing persons holding

tions from being eligible federation A resolution was adop the Case garnishment b

Tanner for signing it.

THE METHO Proceedings of the Confe

Rushville, III , Sep morning's session of nonference was devoted residing elders' report elders reported their di bad a prosperous year i Two presiding elder

their districts this year them the six years pers cipline. They were r antly by the preachers districts. Rev. G. E. S the Danville district, w writing desk and a sl Rev. D. W English, of triot, was the recipient In the atternoon the